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Advisers Ask U. S. to Boost Age Benefits, Cut Reserve

Report Asks 1-Third Of Funds Be Paid by Government, 1½% Employe Tax Limit

Ending of the long dispute over a proposed social security reserve fund that might eventually reach $47,000,000,000 was foreseen last night if recommendations of the Advisory Council on Social Security are adopted by Congress.

The council, it was revealed in the full text of its annual report, would increase initial old-age insurance benefits and alter the tax system so that accumulation of the full reserve would be impossible.

It also would have the Government provide one-third of the funds for benefit payments, now provided entirely by employers and employes.

Would Cut Size of Fund

The council upholds the necessity of a contingency fund, but makes this finding:

"With the changes in the benefit structure here recommended and with the introduction of a definite program of governmental contributions to the system, the council believes that the size of the old-age insurance fund can and should be kept within much lower limits than are involved in the present act. Under social insurance programs it is not necessary to maintain a full invested reserve such as is required in private insurance, provided that the future financing of the program is definitely assured."

The report was compiled by representatives of industry, labor and the public after a year and a half of study.

Vandenberg Led Fight

Two years ago Senator Vandenberg (Republican), of Michigan, opened the fight against the huge reserve fund and bookkeeping methods involved. His activity helped to lead to the appointment of the advisory council by the Social Security Board in consultation with the Senate Finance Committee.

The council's report recommends inclusion of 2,800,000 seamen, bank workers and employes of charitable and educational organizations under the act.

The council would move forward from 1942 to January 1, 1940, the commencement of payment of benefits to retiring workers who have reached the age of 65. Benefits would be substantially increased.

Perhaps the most far-reaching recommendation is that another study be made to determine a complete revamping of the insurance tax structure after 1940. The council proposes that the Government pay one-third of the cost, employ-

See SECURITY, Page 6, Column 2.

Bride, 15, to Go Back to School, Sans Husband

Josephine Katherine Maguire, 15-year-old Maryland school girl, arrested here Tuesday 24 hours after her marriage in Alexandria to a 30-year-old Washington plumber, will be sent to the Children's Aid Society in Baltimore to complete her education, police announced last night.

It was learned at the same time that her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Maguire, of North Beach, Md., will institute annulment proceedings in Alexandria. They asked, no action be taken against the bridegroom, Walter Foetzman, 700 block of D street northeast.

The young girl left her classes at the Prince Frederick High School to be married. She told investigators: "I love Walter and will stick by him. I don't want to go back to school."

Special Christmas Shopping Guide In Today's Post

You'll find a special 12-page rotogravure section in today's Post. It's filled with practical gift suggestions that should solve many of your gift problems.

First Lady to Take Son's Insurance Post

Will Be Named Director to Replace Him in Boston Firm

The most active First Lady the Nation has ever seen, soon will add a new responsibility to her many tasks.

It was announced yesterday Mrs. Roosevelt will become a director of the insurance firm of Roosevelt & Sargent to look after the interests of her son, James, who still is a member of the firm, but who recently announced that his affiliation with the movie industry will keep him on the West Coast much of the time.

Possibly fearing she might be accused of loafing, the much-loved, much-traveled mother of five children and grandmother of six takes on the duty of attending board meetings on behalf of her eldest son.

Simultaneously, James issued a statement in Chicago declaring his new position as vice president of Samuel Goldwyn, Inc., has no connection with anti-trust suits against members of the motion picture industry. He declared he would take no part in negotiations or proceedings with the Government, and pointed out that the Goldwyn firm was not named in the suits.

He even said he and Goldwyn

MRS. ROOSEVELT

agreed personally with the Government's stand for separation of production companies from theater ownership.

Mrs. Roosevelt, his mother, it was emphasized, will not sell insurance

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Trade Board Hears Plan for Greater Capital

East Capitol Street Area and Metropolitan Beautification Urged

A glowing picture of the future Washington as the greatest city in America and a three-point program to attain this goal were presented to the Board of Trade last night by J. C. Nichols, of Kansas City, member of the National Capital Park and Planning Commission.

Nichols, addressing more than 1,000 business leaders of Washington meeting at the Willard, said the plans of the commission were aimed at making Washington one of the most beautiful cities in the world and a national cultural center.

Three Major Projects

He listed three major commission projects as basic to the city's development:

Improvement of the East Capitol street area, from the Capitol to the Anacostia River, development of Anacostia Park as a sports and recreation center and revisions of the Mall to "permanently tie down the central portion of the city" and stabilize business and real estate values.

Completion of a 23-mile drive, circling the District and linking 16 historic Civil War forts and many residential areas.

Extension of local planning "15 miles past the District line and 50 to 100 years into the future" to include completion of a 60-mile George Washington Memorial parkway along both sides of the Potomac from Mount Vernon to Great Falls, opening of new highways leading to Washington and completion of the C. & O. Canal restoration.

Slides Illustrate Talk

His talk, illustrated by slides prepared by the commission, was followed by the announcement of Harvey L. Jones, chairman of the board's committee on parks and reservations, that sub-committees would be appointed to study the plans. Jones declared his group had been working on the plans for East Capitol street.

Frederic A. Delano, chairman of the Park and Planning Commission, traced the organization of the commission, of which he and Nichols are the only original members. C.

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SEC Charges Fidelity Firm With Fraud

Obtains Court Order In Detroit Against Investment Company

By Sidney Olson.

The Securities and Exchange Commission yesterday charged the far-flung Fidelity Investment Association with "fraud and deceit," and then laid plans for a major legal battle as the company announced it would fight.

The SEC filed charges in Federal district court in Detroit asking that the company be restrained from selling its securities to the public.

There, Judge Edward J. Moinet issued a "show cause" order, under which the firm must prove by next Monday why it should not be enjoined from using the mails or engaging in interstate commerce.

The complaint states that the company has sold the general public in 25 States and the District of Columbia, from 58 city offices, a total of about $600,000,000 in contract certificates since November 9, 1920; and that on June 30 of this year 112,542 certificates were outstanding at a face value of $276,223,450, with about 60,000 purchasers now making payments monthly.

Involved in the complaint are the directors, who in the June 30, 1938,

See SEC, Page 4, Column 3.

Sistie and Buzzie Can't See Father's Wedding Today

Haverford, Pa., Dec. 14 (AP).—Curtis B. Dall, divorced husband of President Roosevelt's daughter, Anna, will be married tomorrow to Miss Katharine Miller Leas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stewart Leas.

Announcing wedding plans, Dall said he regretted "Sistie and Buzzie," children by his former wife, "could not be present at the ceremony." They live with their mother, now the wife of John Boettiger, Seattle newspaper publisher.

Dall, a New York broker, said he hoped the children would "have a very merry Christmas when they come East to visit their distinguished grandfather and his family at the White House."

Young Couple, Expecting Baby, Needs $90 to Start Life Anew

Contributions to The Post's Neediest Families Fund, no matter how small, make Christmas a bit happier for some unfortunate but deserving family group. Each family is investigated and recommended by a member agency of the District of Columbia Council of Social Agencies. The story of the twentieth "neediest family" is presented today.

The story of Joe and Mary McM offers a rare opportunity to share in the pleasure of bringing to an end the forced separation of a young recently married pair and to help them prepare a home for the arrival, expected in a few months, of a baby.

Neediest Family No. 20.
The McM Family Needed $90

Joe is 19. Mary is 17. Childhood friends for years, then sweethearts, they ran away last fall and were married.

Feeling they were too young for marriage, both families disapproved and refused to help them in any way to establish a home. With no other course open to them, Joe and Mary have lived with their separate families for the last 14 months.

Seeing each other some part of each day—walking and talking in parks, whispering their plans for the future in the protecting dusk—they have earnestly sought a solution to their problem.

For months, promises of jobs for Joe have fallen through. Each

See GIFTS, Page 6, Column 1.

Coster's Life Checked for True Identity

Drug Firm's Head Believed Known to N.Y. Police; $150,000 'Commissions' Found

(Picture on Page 2.)

By the Associated Press.

New York, Dec. 14.—An Attorney General's agent investigating the financial affairs of McKesson & Robbins, Inc., said today he had "substantial reason to believe" that F. Donald Coster, president of the corporation, "is a man of different identity and known to this office."

Coster and George E. Dietrich, assistant treasurer of the firm, were arrested in Fairfield, Conn., today and held in $5,000 bail each on a charge of violating the securities and exchange act of 1934.

Assistant Attorney General Ambrose V. McCall said he had "considerable doubt as to Coster's true identity," and confirmed a report State detectives were investigating the corporation head's past.

The firm's treasurer, Julian F. Thompson, gave McCall a public account of the three-year personal inquiry which led him to conclude that the company's crude drug inventories were overestimated by probably $18,000,000 and perhaps did not exist at all.

He was a witness at the investigation being conducted by State Attorney General John J. Bennett, jr., to determine whether the State fraud act has been violated.

While the investigation of the 105-year-old concern was going on in Bennett's office, the Federal Government issued 50 subpenas to Wall Street operators and brokers and officers of the corporation.

Big Payments Abroad

Thompson told McCall one of his discoveries was that W. W. Smith & Co., English agent for the firm, was being paid $150,000 a year in commissions, although no sales apparently had been made by the brokers.

The whole affair, he said—the apparent non-existence of warehouses where the crude drugs were supposed to be stored, the building up of huge inventories of crude drugs on paper, and Coster's reaction—"simply astounded and staggered" him.

"If you had known this man you never could believe he would have anything to do with a shortage. A solution may be that he had speculated in these crude drugs and lost and hoped to make up the loss in other operations."

Another witness, Rensen A. Sicklés, assistant manager of Dun & Bradstreet, testified financial reports of the Smith concern and Manning & Co., fiscal agents for McKesson & Robbins, were forgeries purported to have been drawn up by Dun & Bradstreet.

$1,000,000 Backed Coster

The crude drugs department was in charge of Dietrich at Bridgeport, Conn., and Dietrich took orders from Coster, who became president of McKesson & Robbins in 1926 after he acquired assets of the corporation, except real estate, with a $1,000,000 backing by Connecticut bankers. Two years later the firm merged with 17 wholesale drug houses in the United States.

Thompson, who assisted in this merger and became treasurer in 1930, described Coster as a "forceful figure largely responsible for the improvement of the business."

Justice's Wife Pleads Innocent Of Smuggling

New York, Dec. 14 (AP).—Mrs. Elma N. Lauer, wife of Supreme Court Justice Edgar J. Lauer, today pleaded not guilty to charges of smuggling and conspiracy. Bail was fixed at $1,000 and the case set for January 3. Mrs. Lauer contends the case was inspired by a vengeful servant.

George Burns, film and radio actor, pleaded guilty Monday to a similar indictment. The indictment charged Mrs. Lauer and Albert N. Chaperau conspired to smuggle into the country wearing apparel worth $1,833.

Pope Receives Threats in Mail

Special Cable to The Post.

Rome, Dec. 14.—Threatening letters are being received by Pope Pius XI, a high Vatican official revealed today.

The official would give neither the point of origin nor details of the contents, but the letters are understood to have come from Germany. It is believed they explain the Pope's cryptic allusion two weeks ago to "certain things of a threatening nature."

Speicher Fled To Hide Past, Jury Hears

Graft Witness' Letter Says He Was 'Fugitive From Justice' in Another Connection

By Dillard Stokes.

Charges that former Brig. Gen. Alexander E. Williams conspired with two war material magnates to conceal a graft investigation witness were due to go to a District court jury today after counsel summed up the evidence heard all week before Justice Proctor.

Accused with Gen. Williams of hiding Frank E. Speicher, self-labeled fugitive from justice, are Joseph Silverman, jr.; his brother, Nathan, and former Representative Thomas Jefferson Ryan, who is not on trial. Speicher was the mysteriously missing witness for whom a Nation-wide hunt was conducted in 1934. He was the chief witness for the prosecution.

Second Count Allowed

As court opened yesterday the Justice granted the defendants' motion that they be acquitted of hiding "an important and valuable witness" from the House Military Affairs Committee which investigated accusations of corruption in War Department contracts in 1934. The Court held there was no evidence that Speicher was "important" when he was in New York, receiving money in "little blue envelopes" from Joseph Silverman while the committee was looking for him.

However, Justice Proctor held that Irvin Goldstein, special assistant to the Attorney General, had established a prima facie case for the second count of the indictment, which charged hiding an ordinary witness. The defendants must offer evidence to clear themselves of this, the court said.

The Government claims Speicher was induced to stay away because the defendants feared he "would get all of us in an awful jam" by telling of $4,500 he dent Gen. Williams when the general was an Army purchasing officer and Speicher was trying to sell inner tubes to the Government.

Lawyer Testifies

The defendants say Speicher was afraid to appear for other reasons and that Silverman gave him money to get information about lobbying by big motors companies, which Silverman relayed to the committee pending a time when Silverman could arrange for Speicher to appear without danger to himself.

William Hill, New York lawyer for Speicher, testified after the tube salesman waived his right to have the attorney remain silent because he wanted "the truth" in the record. Hill declared that Speicher told him while he was evading testifying that he would be "torn apart" in Washington because of "the old trouble."

Light was thrown on "the old trouble" by William E. Leahy, co-counsel for the Silvermans with Frank Aranow, of New York. Leahy placed in evidence parts of a letter to him from Speicher. The excerpts admitted by Justice Proctor follow:

"I am writing you as a very sick man, and anything may happen to me so far as my health is concerned. I feel that in the end the entire truth of facts surrounding what started with the Woodring investigation and ended up with the Silverman indictment might still con-

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Russians Accused Of Hijacking Spy Secrets From U. S.

Los Angeles, Dec. 14 (U.P.).—Two Russians—one believed to be a secret agent of the Soviet government—were held as possible spies today on the suspicion that they "hijacked" military secrets which American agents had obtained concerning the Japanese war machine.

The two gave their names as Mikhail Gorim, 34, a Soviet citizen and Hafis Salich, 34, a naturalized American born in Russia.

Gorim was reported to have talked three times by telephone with Constantine Oumansky, Soviet charge d'affaires in Washington.

One-Pound Baby Here May Live

A baby weighing only 1 pound 10 ounces was born at Garfield Hospital yesterday morning to Mrs. Marguerite Chadduck. Early this morning it was alive and apparently prospering, though physicians said it was one of the smallest ever born at Garfield Hospital.

Walter P. Chadduck, of Cheverly, Md., the baby's father, is a clerk in the Treasury Department. Placed in a heated oxygen tent, the baby was given "a fair chance to live."

French Will Fight, Bonnet Warns Duce; Italy Increases Arms

30% Military Costs Boost Voted by Cabinet in Biggest Peacetime Budget

By James M. Minifie
Special Cable to The Post.

Rome, Dec. 14.—Premier Mussolini's cabinet today voted a 30 per cent increase in Italy's military expenditures for the next fiscal year as part of the largest peacetime budget in the nation's history, while Fascist leaders and editors continued to hurl barbed threats at France over Tunisia and Corsica.

The military budget of $526,000,000 for the fiscal year starting July 1, 1939, represented an increase of 2,475,631,865 lire ($130,818,235) over the total outlay for the current year.

Ninth Year of Deficit

The whole budget totaled 29,316,008,926 lire ($1,542,022,069)—an increase of 4,280,902,000 lire ($225,175,445) over the 1937-38 budget—and confronted the government with a deficit for the ninth successive year.

A cabinet communique said the government was studying ways of balancing the budget which would be put into force gradually as developments of the economic situation permitted. The prospective deficit was estimated at 4,755,600,701 lire ($250,144,596).

The air force will get the major slice of the specials arms appropriation—900,000,000 lire ($47,340,000). The army's share will be 814,947,054 lire ($43,066,215), and the navy's 760,657,809 lire ($40,010,600).

The total army budget was 3,408,416,000 lire ($179,177,166), the navy's 2,703,657,809 lire ($142,212,400), and the air force's 2,165,060,000 lire ($113,882,156).

"Urgent Necessity"

The cabinet declared the action "an urgent necessity in view of the general situation."

Virginio Gayda of the Giornale d'Italia, who often reflects Mussolini's views, justified the arms increase with the statement that it was "natural and necessary because everybody is increasing their armaments, particularly the democracies."

"We live in a typical period of armed peace," Gayda wrote. "Italy, which has interests and rights to defend and win, cannot remain behind."

Fascists predicted the Italo-French tension might develop into a repetition of last September's German-Czech-Slovakia crisis with Corsica, Tunisia and other Italian-claimed territories assuming

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50 Police to Guard Roosevelt Today At Cherry Trees

With at least 50 United States Park policemen standing by to discourage demonstrations by cherry tree lovers, President Roosevelt will speak at 2:30 p. m. today at ground-breaking exercises for the new Jefferson Memorial.

In addition, there will be the usual Secret Service detail that goes with the President, and, in all probability, an assignment of Metropolitan policemen to direct and reroute lower Fourteenth street traffic.

The ceremonies will be held near the south bank of the Tidal Basin, where the contractor is ready to start work on the foundations for the marble temple that will rival Lincoln Memorial in size.

Events of Day In Foreign Affairs

PRIME MINISTER Chamberlain, in the House of Commons, broadly hinted Britain would aid France if she were attacked by Italy, and crossed Tunisia off the list of possible concessions to Il Duce. Page 11.

NAZI GERMANY was reported planning expropriation of property of Catholic monastic orders as Jews prepared quietly for payment today of the first of four installments of the $400,000,000 "fine" for the slaying of a minor German diplomat. Page 9.

DIPLOMATS in Berlin forecast German acquisition of Memel by spring. Page 9.

CHINA'S Chiang Kai-shek was revealed to be turning to the politico-military methods of Chinese Communists. Page 11.

Pan-America Asked to Share Monroe Burden

Colombian Delegate Proposes Expansion; Hull Confers on Defense

By the Associated Press.

Lima, Dec. 14.—A Pan-American Monroe Doctrine under which all countries of the Western Hemisphere would assume the burden thus far maintained by the United States alone was laid before the Pan-American Conference today.

Foreign Minister Luis Lopez de Mesa of Colombia told the committee for organization of peace that the "Monroe Doctrine can now be widened to embrace all free America as a subject of responsibility."

Mexico, apparently mindful of controversies with the United States over expropriation of lands and oil properties, followed the lead of Argentina in submitting a resolution asking that the conference reaffirm past decisions that force must not be used for collection of debts between nations.

Cites European Pressure

It was believed the resolution had little chance of passage, since there are already sufficient accords and agreements among American states against forcible debt collections.

A resolution which opposes the United States' traditional policy that its nationals in foreign countries cannot renounce their rights to United States protection also was put before the conference by the Mexican delegation.

The proposal appeared to be another outgrowth of Mexico's oil expropriation.

The resolution would have the American republics recognize as valid any renouncement nationals in a foreign country "may make of diplomatic protection by their governments," and would commit American governments not to "attempt or impart that protection" to nationals who have sought to renounce such rights.

Discuss Tariff Reductions

[Argentina accepted in principle a United States project which would bind all 21 American republics to do everything possible to lower their tariff barriers, the United Press said.

[The Argentines began to sound out the Uruguayans, Paraguayans, Chileans, Brazilians and Bolivians regarding the plan, and other delegations will be consulted before it

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Gable-Lombard Wedding Faces Red-Tape Delay Until 1940

By the Associated Press.

Hollywood, Dec. 14.—Technicalities of legal procedure, it appeared today, may prevent Hollywood from hearing Carol Lombard and Clark Gable say "I do" until some time in 1940.

The film actor's $286,000 property settlement with his second wife, Marie Langham Gable, has been approved mutually, but requires a court's approval before Mrs. Gable can file suit for divorce.

Gable said his wife, from whom he has been separated for three years, would seek a divorce as soon as a ruling is obtained on the legality of the settlement. He did not say he intended to marry Actress Lombard, but his friends asserted they were sure he would as soon as he was legally free.

The settlement matter, when submitted to a superior court today, was put on the pre-trial calendar for December 21, when it will be assigned to a judge. Court attaches said a ruling before January 1 is unlikely.

If Mrs. Gable brings her action here after the first of the year, and the divorce is granted, California law requires a full year before the interlocutory decree becomes final. The[illegible] again.

The Lo[illegible] file suit

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Attempt to Seize Lands Means War, He Declares; England 'Concerned'

By John Elliott
Special Cable to The Post.

Paris, Dec. 14.—Georges Bonnet, French foreign minister, today warned Premier Mussolini that if Italy wants Tunis, Corsica or Nice, she will have to fight for them.

This statement was made in a secret meeting of the foreign affairs committee of the Chamber of Deputies, but the government's warning was considered so important that, contrary to custom, the exact wording of the sentence was contained in the official communique.

This is what Bonnet said: "There cannot be the slightest equivocation. France will never consent to giving up an inch of its territory to Italy, and any attempt to realize such a claim can only lead to an armed conflict."

Strengthened by England

France's stand was strengthened by Prime Minister Chamberlain's speech before the Foreign Press Association in London last night, indicating England would come to the aid of this country in the event of an Italian invasion of French territory. Bonnet told the Chamber's foreign affairs committee that although there is no specific treaty binding England to help France in case of a Franco-Italian conflict, Chamberlain's words could leave Mussolini in no doubt as to where Britain stands.

The French foreign minister further told the committee that when German Foreign Minister Von Ribbentrop was in Paris last week he told Bonnet that while Germany remained loyal to the Rome-Berlin axis, she had no direct interest in the Mediterranean.

Nations Disagree on Treaty

Moreover, according to Bonnet, the Italian government disavowed all responsibility for the demonstration in the Italian chamber that provoked the tension. The French Ambassador in Rome, Andre Francois-Poncet, had been informed by Count Ciano, Italian foreign secretary, that these cries must not be considered as an expression of the policy of the Italian government, which could only be judged by declarations either of Il Duce or the Italian foreign minister.

The French government, added Bonnet, considered the Franco-Italian accord, signed by Laval and Mussolini at Rome in January, 1936, as still valid. The Fascist government affects to regard the

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Ecuador Fears Army Rebellion; Cabinet Ousted

Quito, Ecuador, Dec. 14 (U.P.).—A clash between police and soldiers was feared here tonight as several army units shqwed their dissatisfaction with President Aurelio Mosquera Narvaez's dissolution of the National Assembly in a dispute over the promotion of Col. Luis Larrea Alva.

The Yaguachi regiment was reported to have taken positions on a hill overlooking the city, and to have served a demand on the government that the Assembly be reconvoked.

The streets were patrolled by police and carabineers.

The government flatly refused to free several left-wing assemblymen arrested when the Assembly was dissolved and its members "outlawed" by executive decree.

Larrea Alva and Speaker Francisco Arrizaga Luque of the Assembly were seized after a bloodless gun battle with secret service agents.

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Over the Coffee

By Harlan Miller

PARTY-OF-THE-YEAR

When 1,000 of the creme-de-la-creme roll up to the White House east door at 9 o'clock tonight to squeeze the Presidential fingers, they'll leave their minks and silk hats in what starts out bravely to be a foyer and ends up as a basement corridor.

First Lady . . . *big party*

Not even the expensive ($5,000) portraits of Mrs. Coolidge and Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt can conceal its semi-subterranean nature.

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This peculiar phenomenon occurs because the White House stands on a knoll. So while ground at the east end and part of the south side of the big house slopes away enough to give the first floor some windows at ground level, the rooms on the right and ahead as you walk in are definitely cellar.

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There's something democratic about approaching the President via the cellar, and something subduing, too. An attache wearing 30 decorations and glittering like a chrome-fum-front hamburger palace might prance and cavort a little if he made his entrance via a marble lobby and a grand staircase. The White House basement staircase leading up to the East Room is much more awesome; it enforces humility.

"—a fine how-d'you-do"

This corridor is good enough for anyone, though, since Teddy slew the rats.

The forest of coatracks as you come in always reminds me of Sunday school, or church suppers, except for the miraculously brisk servants who check your wraps. A quick readjustment of white ties, a pat at the coiffeur, a quick glance to see if anyone's playing billiards in the billiard room or reading in the downstairs bookroom, and you're on your way up the red carpet.

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And once in the mirrored glitter of the East Room you forget the basement.

Tonight's reception for the Diplomatic Corps is the glassiest of the year at the White House. Some ladies will be too elated because they got an invitation, and a few too melancholy because they didn't.

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The Ambassadors, Ministers, Counsellors, Military, Naval and Air Attaches, first, second and third Secretaries all line up in columns of fours and soon they are marching ahead of their ladies in single file through the green and blue rooms to say a fine how-d'you-do to the President and the First Lady.

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Each man goes ahead of his wife, because tonight for once it's the man who counts, his name and rank. The President's aides whisk the handshakers past their hosts quickly. There is no time for badinage with the President, not even a small bon mot.

In the subdued light, against the potted shrubbery behind them, the Roosevelts appear enormously tall; they do tower a foot above many of their guests, and it seems more.

"—who dances with whom"

They leave the President behind as they saunter on through the red room for a spot of salad and coffee and maybe an ice proffered by the servants behind the great table in the state dining room. Or maybe they dance first in the East Room, or just look.

Some of the hungrier ones demolish quite a few sandwiches and cakes; but most of them prefer gossip and gazing to eating.

Oddly, while a Hollywood cast might give this spectacle a semblance of reality, these ladies and gentlemen, some of whom are doughty heroes or villians in real life, seem to be carrying on a spirited make-believe.

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Once Henry Adams got tied in knots, years ago, watching the handshaking at the White House. He thought it was an abject travesty of democracy. But Mr. Adams took it too seriously; much more seriously than do the handshakers themselves.

The whole spectacle might be derided for pomposity and empty form, were it not true that the Diplomatic Corps enjoy it chiefly in the manner of small boys and girls at a party, and don't take their gilded trappings much more seriously than do the President or his aides.

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It will be interesting to see whether the German charge d'affaires gives Mr. Roosevelt a Nazi salute along with his handshake (as Von Ribbentrop saluted King George) and whether the British Ambassador dances with the wife of the Russian charge-d'affaires. All these men and women are also symbols for whole nations and so their gestures and adornments have a significance a little beyond those of your friends at a country club party.

The odds are, incidentally, at least 5 to 1 against the Nazi salute. But you never can tell . . .

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Civil Service Extension for TVA Proposed

Former Commissioner Sees Too Much Spent For 'Job Training'

By the Associated Press.

The TVA investigating committee received a recommendation yesterday that thousands of TVA employes be placed under Civil Service.

Leonard D. White, former Republican Civil Service Commissioner and now a professor at Chicago University, made the recommendation after a survey of TVA's personnel department.

White decided TVA was spending too much money for "job training," but indicated "political" pull" had been of little, if any, aid for job-seekers.

Extension of civil service to most TVA positions, White said, would facilitate the selection of employes. He suggested experts, technicians and executives be excluded.

White opposed a TVA proposal to establish its own old-age pension program. He recommended that those not included by a civil service extension be protected by the Federal Social Security Board.

Members of the committee said they had abandoned hope of having a complete report ready for Congress next month.

Political Arena

By the Associated Press.

Representative Bertrand Snell, of New York, retiring House Republican leader, cast a longing glance yesterday at figures showing the strength of the minority party in the next Congress will be nearly doubled.

SNELL

"You know, it would be great to be the leader of a minority of that size," he said. "With 170 Republicans, we'll have enough fellows to do some real good." He added:

"And I'd have a lot of fun with Sam Rayburn (the Democratic leader), too."

But Snell, who announced last summer he would not be a candidate for re-election, said he was satisfied with his decision to retire.

He predicted that if Republican members of the new Congress make the most of their opportunities they could "take the whole thing in 1940."

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 14 (AP).—Amendment of the Wagner act to relieve "maladministration" which he said had aggravated relations between labor and industry was proposed here tonight by Representative Starnes (Democrat), Alabama, before a mass meeting sponsored by the Alabama Council of Women's Democratic Clubs.

Support of the Dies investigators was expressed in a resolution adopted by a voice vote.

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 14 (AP).—A repeatedly delayed grand jury investigation of political campaign charges against Gov. George H. Earle and 13 associates opens tomorrow—only a few weeks before many of those named leave office.

Judge Paul N. Schaeffer, specially assigned to Dauphin County (Harrisburg) to take charge of the grand jury, which was authorized by the State Supreme Court after seven months of efforts to block it.

District Attorney Carl B. Shelley, a Republican, from whose hands the administration attempted to take the investigation, said he was "ready to go at a moment's notice."

Dover, Del., Dec. 14 (AP).—State Representative Frank R. Zebley of Wilmington, will have an automobile license again to remind him of the number of votes that elected him.

Zebley, a Republican, received 10,692 votes in the last election, and that will be the number of his 1939 license. His present license, number 9,353, represents the votes he got in 1936.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of The Munsey Trust Company, Washington, D. C., will be held at its office in the Munsey Building on TUESDAY, January 17, 1939, at 11 a. m., for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. Polls open from 11 a. m. until 12 noon. A. J. BYRNE, Acting Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE HOME PLATE GLASS INSURANCE COMPANY of the City of Washington for the election of Trustees, will be held at the office of the company, No. 918 F St., N.W., National Union Building, on WEDNESDAY, January 18, 1939, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. Polls open from 2 to 3 o'clock p. m.
WILLIAM H. SOMERVELL, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the Washington American League Baseball Club will be held at the offices of the club, baseball park, Washington, D. C., on Tuesday, January 3, 1939, at twelve o'clock noon for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and for such other business as may be properly brought before said meeting. EDWARD B. EYNON, Jr., Secretary. 8,15,22,28

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Arrested in Drug Firm Inquiry

Associated Press WIREPHOTOS.

F. Donald Coster (left), president of McKesson & Robbins, Inc., and George E. Dietrich, assistant treasurer, who were arrested in Fairfield, Conn., yesterday

First Lady to Get Son James' Post as Insurance Director

Eleanor

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for the firm or take any further interest in its affairs.

Author of magazine articles, a newspaper column, and several books, the First Lady only now is completing an arduous lecture tour, the proceeds of which go to charity.

Radio Funds to Go to Charity

On Monday she announced that henceforth all receipts from her radio broadcasts will be received by her so that she might pay income tax on them before the remainder is passed on to charity. Heretofore, the receipts have gone directly to the charity selected and the Treasury ruled that no income tax need be paid.

Along with radio speeches, demands of the most rigorous social schedule in the Nation, close supervision over her large family, charities and social work, the restless wife of the Chief Executive will now visit Boston or New York for regular directors' meetings.

Friends pointed out that, as usual, she probably will continue jaunts to Seattle, El Paso, Little Rock, Minneapolis, and Old Point Comfort—flying, driving, riding—jumping gangplanks, inspecting mines, climbing tenement steps, inspecting CCC camps and answering the second biggest mail in the land.

It was James who suggested that his mother watch over his interests in the firm from which he resigned to become his father's secretary. She will be elected at a board meeting Monday.

"Mother knows best," friends suggested, may have been the maxim propmting the decision.

Will Get No Salary

James said his mother would receive no salary for her new duties, the Associated Press reported, quoting him further as saying several "large accounts" had been booked while he was associated with the firm and he wanted to provide protection for both his own interests and those of his clients.

It was recalled that a superior court auditor at Boston recently found that a Boston bank placed an $850,000 insurance contract so that James Roosevelt would share in the commission, but held that the bank was not influenced by the fact that his father was President.

Regarding "certain statements that have given the impression that my connection with the motion picture industry had a direct connection" with the Government suits against movie firms, James said, in Chicago:

"I am going to work in the motion picture industry as a private citizen in business with no political aspect of any kind."

Roosevelt, who visited the Mayo Brothers Clinic in Rochester, Minn., this week for a physical examination, planned to leave for New York on Friday.

U. S. Businessmen Lauded by Former Capital Pastor

The average American businessman was described yesterday to Rotary Club members by Dr. Allen A. Stockdale, former pastor of the First Congregational Church of Washington, as a person who works hard for his success and makes possible such vital American institutions as churches, Red Cross chapters, community chests and orphanages.

"I feel that he is a success and that he is entitled to the thanks of people in general. During the few years I was pastor of a church in Toledo, Ohio, I was chairman of committees that raised $1,500,000 for various community projects. It all came from the businessmen," Dr. Stockdale declared.

Since last January Dr. Stockdale has ben head of the speakers' bureau of the National Association of Manufacturers.

Typewriter Men Elect

Officers of the Washington Typewriter Dealers Association elected Tuesday night are C. H. Davidson, of District Typewriter Co., president; Don MacDonald, MacDonald Typewriter Co., vice president, and Robert A. Mack, Typewriter Headquarters of Washington, secretary-treasurer.

For Safety: Keep Christmas Trees Outdoors Till Used

Keep your Christmas tree outdoors until ready for use, fire department officials warned yesterday.

"Simple precautions may avert a tragedy at Christmas time and safety in the home at this season is even more desirable than Christmas cheer itself," it was declared.

Other safety measures are:

Do not use lighted candles as ornaments on trees and wreaths.

Do not allow gift wrappings to accumulate under the tree.

Only adults should handle mechanical toys which use alcohol or other inflammable liquid as a source of heat or power.

Do not keep the trees too long after Christmas since the tree dries and is a fire hazard.

F. B. I. Players to Give 'The Enemy' Tonight

Channing Pollock's "The Enemy," will be presented tonight at 8:15 p. m. at the Roosevelt High School Auditorium by the Theater Group of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

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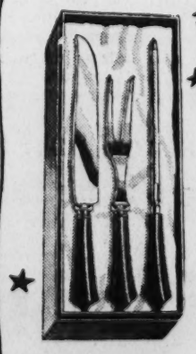

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Insurgent Victory Inimical To U. S. Interests, Eden Told

While Capt. Anthony Eden, former foreign minister of Great Britain, continued yesterday his informal discussions with officials of the Government, Sir George Paish, British economist, after a half hour discussion of world economic conditions with President Roosevelt, proposed a world economic conference to seek a basis for restoring trade and industry to normal channels.

It was learned Eden in his "unofficial" talks with members of the Government avoided such topics as settlement of the war debts and the defense plans of the United States. The conversation, however, according to a reliable source, did turn on the Spanish civil war.

Eden, it was said, received intimations that the Roosevelt Administration believed a Franco victory would be inimical to American interests, and Eden was quoted as having told one official he hoped the British government would not grant Franco belligerent rights.

Eden visited Senator Pittman, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. Neither would comment except to say that they renewed an acquaintance begun in 1933 when Pittman was attending the economic conference in London.

Earlier, he paid a courtesy call on Chief Justice Hughes.

A private luncheon at the home of Sumner Welles, Acting Secretary of State, in Oxon Hill, Md., gave Eden an opportunity to meet other Government officials.

Mrs. Roosevelt to Aid Salvation Army Fete

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt will hand out the first basket at the Salvation Army's Christmas party at 2 p. m. December 24, at the Salvation Army Temple, 606 E street northwest. The army will distribute 700 Christmas baskets, compared to 600 last year.

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Hampson Gary Given Post In RFC Bank

Ex-Diplomat, Ousted In FCC Purge, Named Solicitor by Jones

Just two months after he was summarily dismissed as general counsel of the Federal Communications Commission, Hampson Gary, one-time American diplomat and long a member of the bar, yesterday was appointed solicitor of the Export-Import Bank by Jesse Jones, chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

The position is new in the Export-Import Bank, which comes under the supervision of the RFC.

Refused to Resign

At the time Gary was ousted as FCC general counsel at the beginning of the Frank McNinch "purge" he was reported to have been offered a transfer to the RFC at a salary equal to the $9,000 he received as commission counsel. He refused the offer, however, and would not resign.

Gary, who had a distinguished career in the State Department in the Wilson regime, is a native of Texas and has long been a friend of Jesse Jones.

He was United States envoy to Egypt during the World War and later was Minister to Switzerland. At the conclusion of the World War he worked as an aid to the American Peace Commission in Paris.

Named by Roosevelt

With the formation of the Federal Communications Commission, Gary was appointed to the one-year term by President Roosevelt. Upon expiration he was named FCC general counsel, a position he held for four years.

During intervals between his governmental career he practiced law in New York City and Washington.

Marauder Steals Pipe, Gas Almost Kills 6; Meter Reader's Wife Rises Early, Gives Alarm

Roomers Sleep All Night As Vapor Seeps Into House on First Floor

Careless work of a thief who wanted a 2-foot length of pipe yesterday almost resulted in asphyxiation of six persons who slept all night with gas flowing into their rooms at 1923 First street northwest.

The early rising habit of Mrs. Gladys Duvall, wife of a 27-year-old water meter reader at the District Building, Ray Duvall, was credited by police with saving the lives of all. She arose about 7:30 a. m. and quickly awakened her husband, two children and another woman and her son who were on the second floor. She then summoned a doctor.

Duvall noticed the odor of gas Tuesday night. He checked the meter in the basement of his home and then turned the gas off. The source of the escaping gas, however, was in the basement of the vacant house next door where a marauder had removed a section of pipe leading to a gas meter.

The broken pipe was discovered by Policemen G. L. Earle and M. C. Reed, of No. 13, yesterday after gas company employes had placed a new meter in the Duvall home.

Duvall and the second floor occupants, Mrs. B. Grayson Grinsted, and her 7-year-old son, were kept in bed under doctor's orders. Mrs. Duvall suffered only a severe headache. Her two small children, Evelyn, age 2½ years, and Nancy, age 15 month, however, appeared to feel no ill effects after overcoming the first stage of drowsiness.

Post Staff Photo.

Mrs. Gladys Duvall, shown with her two children, Nancy, 15 months, and Evelyn, 2 1-2 years, after their escape from accidental death by gas

Employes to Get Profit-Sharing Bonus

Fort Madison, Iowa., Dec. 14 (AP). The W. A. Shaeffer Pen Co. announced today payment of profit sharing bonuses to more than 1,100 employes, amounting to 10 per cent of their wages for six months.

Hunt Club Dissolved

Justice Luhring, in District Court yesterday, sanctioned the dissolution of the famous old Riding and Hunt Club, of which Commissioner Melvin C. Hazen was a vice president. Directors of the club voted last June to merge with the Potomac Hunt.

Doctor Gives Mary Brown 2d Examination

Deputy Coroner Will Report to D. C. and Maryland Police Chiefs

Mary Brown, 18, Oxon Hill kidnap victim, underwent a second physical examination yesterday at the request of Maryland State police.

Dr. Richard M. Rosenberg, deputy District coroner, made the examination at his office in the 1300 block I street northwest, shortly after noon. He was assisted by Dr. Christopher J. Murphy, also a deputy coroner.

Dr. Rosenberg said his report would be submitted to Maj. Elmer Munshower, chief of State police and Maj. Ernest W. Brown, superintendent of Metropolitan police.

Dr. Rosenberg said the girl and her step-mother came to his office accompanied by a State patrolman and that he gave her a thorough examination. He reported the girl in excellent physical condition and apparently recovered from shock.

Proctor Won't Instruct Medical Grand Jury

Justice James M. Proctor, in District Court yesterday, denied the motion of the District Medical Society that he "instruct as to the law" the extraordinary grand jury investigating alleged monopolistic practices of the society and the American Medical Association.

The society wanted the court to call the jurymen before him and inform them as to the applicability of the Sherman antitrust act to organized medicine.

First of Mosquito Eggs Hatches for Portrait

(Photographs on Page 12.)

The first of 5,000 eggs airmailed from Orlando, Fla., to the National Geographic Society two weeks ago hatched into a harmless male yesterday.

These eggs which arrived in perfect condition in two tiny pill boxes are needed by Hashime Murayama, staff artist, who is drawing eight pages full of pictures about mosquitos, including one set showing the life cycle of the small pests.

Eggs Shipped

When they arrived from the Department of Agriculture laboratory in Florida the eggs lay in nests of damp gauze. They were in rafts or clumps of from 100 to 400 eggs. Each raft was about the size of a grain of wheat and was made up of slender eggs on end life rows of microscopic capsules glued together.

Murayama didn't put all his mosquito eggs in one jar. One batch he put in tap-water, another in distilled water and the third in melted snow. The batch in melted snow did best.

The eggs arrived two weeks ago. In a day or two all had turned into "wigglers." They were then fed on yeast. Many of the wigglers have already taken another step and become pupae. The first mosquito hatched yesterday from one of the pupae.

Long Task Ahead

Murayama estimated yesterday that, with the research necessary, it will take him at least six months to complete drawings to fill eight magazine pages. At each stage he examines many of the eggs under a microscope. He also has to spend hours at the Smithsonian Institution studying about mosquitos.

The eggs mailed from Florida were those of the sulex quinque fasciatus — the harmless Southern house mosquito, common in Washington. He had to use these because traffic in malaria or yellow-fever mosquitos is forbidden.

Murayama said it was simple to identify immediately the one hatched mosquito as male because its antennae are much heavier than those of a female.

Coal Miners' Safety To Be Discussed Here

A conference to promote safety in coal mining will be held in the Interior Department tomorrow and Saturday, attended by coal mine operators, owners, mining engineers, representatives of employes and the public, officials of State mine inspection departments and Interior Department officials.

The conference will discuss safety work of the Bureau of Mines, advisability of extending functions of the bureau to further the cause of safety in coal mining, and launching of a Nation-wide safety campaign.

Two District Firms Low Bidders on Jail, Nurses' Home

Two Washington firms submitted low bids for construction of a nurses' home at Gallinger Hospital and foundation work at the D. C. Jail, officials announced yesterday.

Victor R. Beauchamp, Inc., 640 K street northwest, was low bidder for the nurses' home, with $80,190. The Public Works Administration has earmarked $67,000 for this work.

The John W. Hunt, Co., 316 Randolph place northeast, with $24,928, was low bidder for the jail foundation work.

The Wagner Larsen company of Brooklyn was low bidder with $17,800 for additions to Glenn Dale sewage disposal plant at the D. C. Tuberculosis Sanitarium.

Work on all PWA projects must begin before January 1.

At Town Hall Sunday

Representative Dies, chairman of the House committee investigating un-American activities, will discuss Nazi propaganda in the United States jointly with Gerhart Segar, former member of the German Reichstag, at Washington's Town Hall, Sunday night in the Shoreham Hotel.

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SCHENLEY'S 100 PROOF 16 Yrs. Old Bottled in Bond $2.49 Pt.

OLD QUAKER RYE 100 PROOF 13 Yrs. Old Bottled in Bond $2.59 Pt.

California BRANDY 13 Yrs. Old Bottled in Bond 100 Proof Regular Price, $2.50 Special Price $1.89 Fifth Gal.

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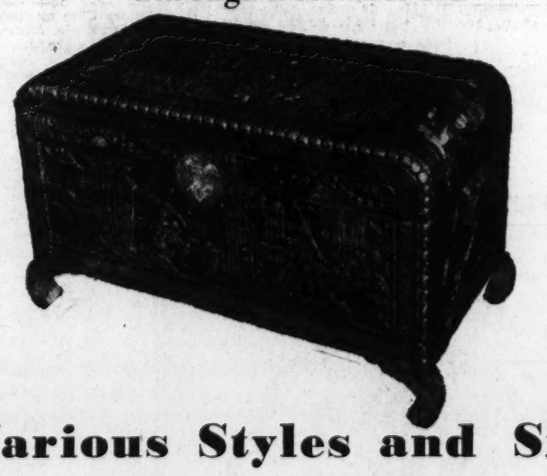

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Speicher Letter Says He Was Fleeing Justice

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tinue to be suppressed. I am writing you so all facts may be made out . . .

Cites Old "Offense"

"And until the time I returned to Washington my actions were in no way influenced by Silverman or no one else but myself . . .

"As I referred to you, my life being an open book in the D. J. I knew if I was called and it appeared in the newspapers it might unearth an unpleasant offense in Pennsylvania which would wreck my home life and kill my income from my contacts which I was working on in Washington. . . .

"He (the late Chairman McSwain of the House Military Affairs Committee) would see no harm come to me as he knew I advised the committee I was a fugitive from justice . . .

"As long as I was under a subpena no one dared touch me on anything and he (Chairman McSwain) could keep me under it as long as he wished but if they released me anyone could pick me up."

Previously in the trial Speicher testified that he conferred with McSwain in New York in 1935, but this was ruled irrelevant.

Identifies Own Letter

The Speicher letter was in his own handwriting and he identified it. Leo A. Walsh, lawyer, of 106 West Thornapple street, Chevy Chase, testified for the defense that "Wisconsin 2526," where Speicher testified he called up the alleged conspirators while he was evading the committee, was his telephone number. Walsh said he knew none of the defendants and they never received calls on his telephone.

Harold E. Schnuer, the New York lawyer Speicher said masqueraded as "Dr. O'Brien" to collect the blue envelopes, was recalled to the stand by the defense. He said that by arrangement with Nell Lane, a switchboard operator at the Willard Hotel, Speicher placed his telephone calls from New York through the hotel switchboard, presumably so it would look like he was calling from Washington. Miss Lane died several months ago.

Government Witness Kenneth Anderson, clerk of the House Military Affairs Committee, was recalled to testify for the defense that Speicher eventually appeared to testify in 1934 and wanted to be served with a subpena "so he could not be bothered in some case in Pennsylvania."

Character Witnesses Heard

The defense rested after these witnesses testified to the good character of the Silvermans; J. Victor Carton, a former prosecutor in Monmouth County, N. J.; Eppa A. Davidson, credit manager of the Mayflower; the Rev. Max T. Davidson, Perth Amboy, and Gen. John A. Hull, former associate justice of the Philippine Supreme Court and one-time Judge Advocate General of the Army.

Goldstein told the jurors in his closing argument that they were not to feel that the case was trivial because no harm was done. "What could have, what might have, happened—that is the danger," he said, adding that if such conspiracies went unpunished the stability of the Government might some day be threatened.

Goldstein scathingly outlined the situation that existed in 1934, when the graft investigation was on. "There may have been a secretary, an assistant secretary, other officials involved," he argued, "but that does not excuse Gen. Williams. . . . I think I'm being kind when I say that he 'borrowed' $4,500."

Speicher Attacked

The Government had no kind word for Speicher, Goldstein said, and he predicted that the witness' credibility would be attacked. Nevertheless, he said, the jurors were to remember that Speicher's testimony was not contradicted. This apparently was an indirect reference to the fact that the defendants did not take the stand to deny the charges, on which it was against the law for him to comment directly.

Divorced in Capital

ANNE DAINGERFIELD HOFFMAN,

who was divorced here yesterday by Lieut. George Dewey Hoffman, U. S. N., on grounds of desertion. They were wed in June, 1936. Hoffman, godson of Admiral Dewey, charged his wife refused to accompany him, when, three days after marriage, he was obliged to return to his San Diego post. She lives at 1736 Columbia road northwest

SEC Accuses Investment Firm of Fraud in Securities' Sale

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financial statement were listed as including a former United States Senator from West Virginia, a former assistant United States Attorney General, a former North Dakota Governor, a director of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board, of Pittsburgh, and a director of the Republic Steel Corporation.

Carmi A. Thompson, president of the company, said in a statement:

"Our company is supervised by the various State authorities where we do business, and we have enjoyed a tremendous growth within the last few years.

"We are not registered under SEC, but this agency has, nevertheless, been investigating us along with practically all other investment concerns and I presume they have concluded that they should in some measure regulate our activities.

"When a study is made of the bill of complaint and the order to show cause a further statement will be made."

Those named on the financial statement as officers and directors include:

Carmi Thompson, Cleveland, Ohio, president, former Treasurer of the United States from November 20, 1912 to April 1, 1913, under President Taft, a director of Ohio State Life Insurance Co., chairman of the board, International-Stacey Co.

John Marshall, of Washington, chairman of the board; former Assistant Attorney General from 1925 to 1929 under President Coolidge; president, Parkersburg Publishing Co. of West Virginia, lawyer, associated with Covington, Burling, Rublee, Acheson & Shorb.

Louis B. Hanna, of Fargo, N. Dak., director; former Governor of North Dakota, 1913-1915, and 1915-1917; bank president and life insurance company director.

Howard Sutherland, of Elkins, W. Va., director; former United States Senator from West Virginia, 1917-1923, and United States Alien Property Custodian, 1925-1933, under Presidents Coolidge and Hoover.

John S. Brooks, jr., of Washington, director; a director of Republic Steel Corporation, of International Paper & Power Co. and of Pittsburgh Steel Foundry Corporation, a lawyer.

Arthur B. Koontz, of Charleston, W. Va., director; bank vice-president and director, Federal Home Loan Bank of Pittsburgh, a lawyer.

Homer J. Buckley, of Chicago, director; director of Illinois Manufacturers Association; D. A. Burt, of Wheeling, W. Va., director, Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co. and of Wheeling Steel Corporation; Charles H. Copp, of Wheeling, director of Wheeling Dollar Savings & Trust Co.; Michael Gallagher, of Cleveland, bank president; Tom B. Foulk, of Wheeling, bank director; Walter T. Grosscup, of Philadelphia, former assistant Federal Reserve agent at Philadelphia, and John Marshall, jr., A. L. King and F. J. Weis, of Wheeling. F. S. Risley, of that city, is vice president on the latest statement.

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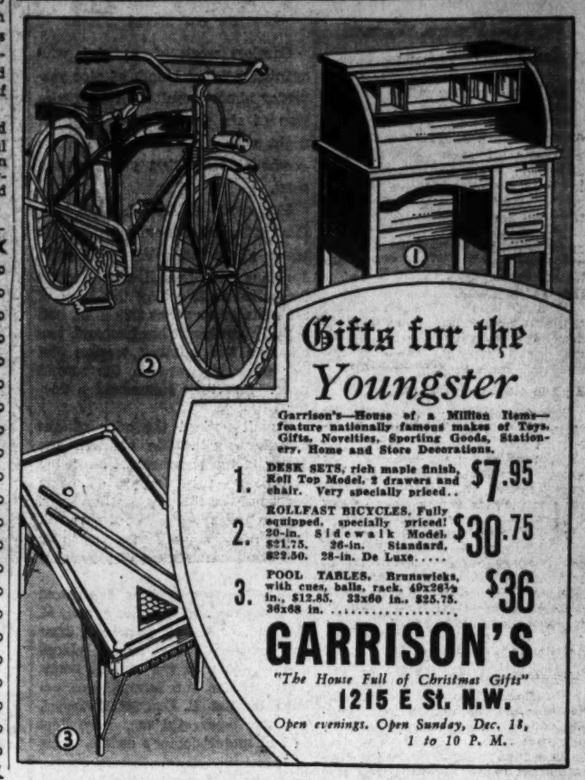

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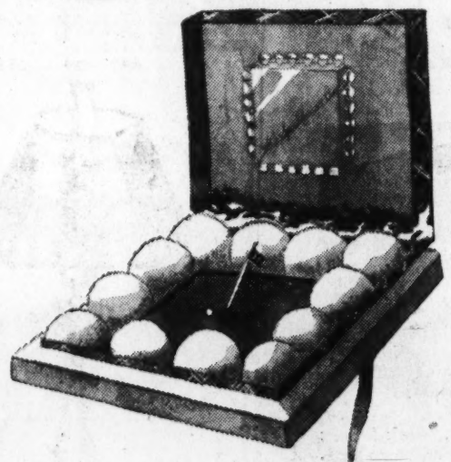

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Congress Faces Few New Laws, Barkley Says

Revision to Be Main Task, He Thinks, After Talk With Roosevelt

Revision of New Deal laws now on the statute books yesterday was projected as the Administration's chief task in the next Congress, following the first of a series of Democratic leadership conferences with the President.

Senate Majority Leader Barkley expressed doubt that many new measures will be added to the 1939 legislative agenda, after a call at the White House.

"I don't know of anything particularly new except what might be done with existing laws, correcting them and mending them if they need it," Barkley told reporters.

To See Rayburn, Garner

The President is scheduled for talks with Vice President Garner and House Majority Leader Rayburn over the week-end. Both are known to favor consolidation of gains rather than broad ventures into new fields at the next session.

Questioned by newsmen on leaving the White House, Barkley said his discussion with the President covered "practically anything you could think of" in the range of legislation. He said taxes and the Wagner labor relations act came up for discussion, but added that the discussion was general and no final decisions were reached.

Reorganization on Slate

The Senate majority leader said he believed the new naval defense program primarily will concern appropriations to carry out authorizations already voted, but new legislation probably will be required to effect the Army's new aviation program and projected antiaircraft defense measures.

Apart from his National defense program, the President has definitely scheduled only one piece of new legislation for action—his Government reorganization program recommitted last session by the House. Social Security act changes previously had been slated and anti-New Dealers of both parties have forecast an early showdown on amendment of the Wagner labor relations act.

Must Extend Some Taxes

Barkley said that rice and tobacco farmers' rejection last week of marketing quotas did not necessarily mean new farm legislation is needed or that "they are against the farm law." He said Congress will consider whether any changes in the act are needed.

Questioned on possible neutrality act revision, Barkley said the question did not come up at the White House conference. On proposed tax law changes, he said only that expiring nuisance levies must be extended.

'38 Santa to Pack Heavier Yuletide Sack

Christmas shopping reports indicate Santa's sack will be heavier this year than last, Secretary Roper said yesterday.

He said data on sales of jewelry, household furnishings and general merchandise indicated dollar volume sales as high or higher than during the fairly good holiday trade of a year ago. Because prices are lower this year, he added, the actual number of items sold is far ahead of last year.

Arlington Hall Students Aid Busy Santa Claus

Post Staff Photo

Girls of Arlington Hall School staged their twelfth Christmas party for underprivileged children of the neighborhood in the school dining room. Students in foreground are (from left) Frances Proctor, Florence Colmery, Lil Youngs and Estelle Ervin, with Barbara Day as Santa

Staunton Cadet Kills Self After Auto Accident

Skaneateles, N. Y., Dec. 14 (AP).—Found dead of a gunshot wound several hours after his automobile was involved in an accident early this morning, William Scott, 18, of Auburn, was listed as a suicide by Coroner William R. Winne.

Winne theorized that Scott, a student at Staunton Military Academy in Virginia, may have been temporarily unbalanced by a blow on the head suffered in the accident.

Paul Lattimore, 21, of Auburn, Scott's companion, who was only slightly injured, said Scott disappeared after the crash.

Gloria Baker Sets Wedding Monday

Palm Beach, Fla., Dec. 14 (AP).—Mrs. Margaret Emerson today announced the engagement of her daughter, Gloria Baker, to Henry J. Topping, jr., and said the wedding would be held Monday afternoon. Topping was divorced in Bridgeport, Conn., yesterday by Jane Shadduck Topping.

Massachusetts Dance

The Christmas dance of the Massachusetts Society of Washington will be held tonight at 9 o'clock in the main ball room of the Wardman Park Hotel, C. Russell Reily, in charge of entertainment, announced yesterday. The first of a series of luncheons will take place Saturday at 1:15 p. m. at the Hamilton Hotel.

Three Indicted For Assault in Truck Strike

Each Charged 5 Times; 'Personality Analyst' Charged With Fraud

Three men were named in each of five indictments yesterday by the District grand jury in connection with disorders in the recent Griffith Consumers Co. truck strike.

The trio, Webster M. Courtney, Kenneth C. Craig and Russell Fowler, were charged five times with assault with a dangerous weapon. In one of the alleged attacks, Dolores Loskarn, 10, of Baltimore, was injured by a flying brick.

Named in two of 37 indictments returned yesterday was William Kappel, 37, of 1480 Girard street northwest. Kappel was charged with robbing Wallace W. Beach, of 1322 Tenth street northwest, of $850, and Wallace B. Hulse, of 318 Eleventh street northwest, of $800 on November 21.

Rosalyn Randle, "personality analyst" and specialist in "charm development," was indicted for false pretenses in allegedly obaining $500 from a Washington woman. The indictment asserts that Miss Randle informed her victim that he latter's son, a student at the University of Pennsylvania, had a suicide complex which she could cure.

Four young men who led Prince Georges police an exciting chase over icy roads near Cottage City November 26 were indicted for holding up a liquor store at 1211 Pennsylvania avenue northwest. The men were William P. Croswhite, 24, of Richmond; Robert C. Chappel, 22, of Richmond; Eugene P. Corbin, 23, of Dumbarton, Va., and Luther Myers, 27, of Richmond. Each is named in four indictments.

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—a stitch in time saves your necklace for the gala season

We could quote a lot of old saws, such as locking the stable door after the horse was stolen, that would apply to this situation, but the point is this: You are in for a heavy season of running here and there to parties, and of course you want to wear your favorite pearls. So we should like to prepare that necklace for its gay tour by restringing it; to save it from a dire fate of suddenly spilling all over your host's living room. Expert restringing by Woodward & Lothrop's experienced workmen will renew its life. Allow us several days for delivery.

JEWELRY REPAIR DESK, FIRST FLOOR

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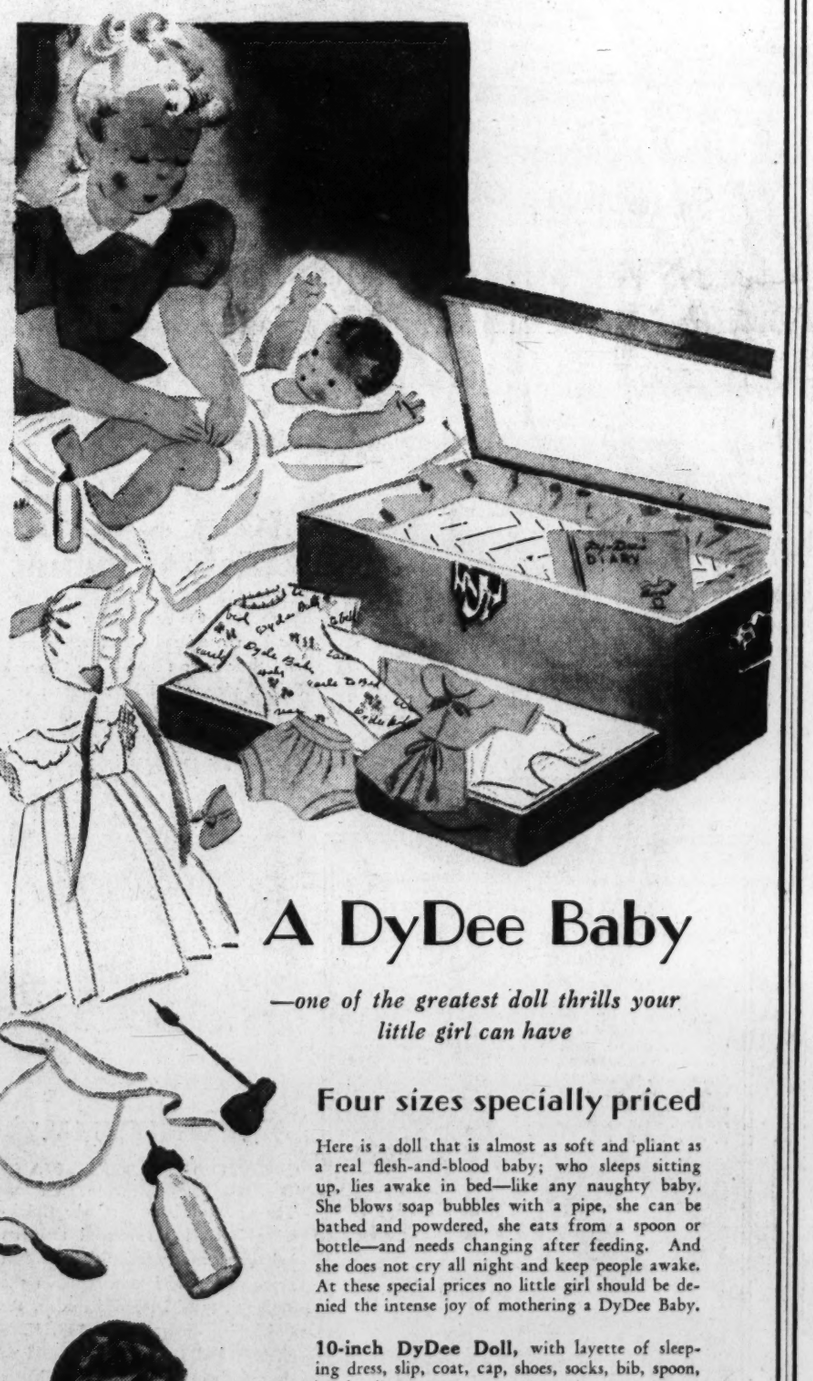

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10-inch DyDee Doll, with layette of sleeping dress, slip, coat, cap, shoes, socks, bib, spoon, bottle, diary, soap, bubble pipe $3.95

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THE TOY STORE, FOURTH FLOOR

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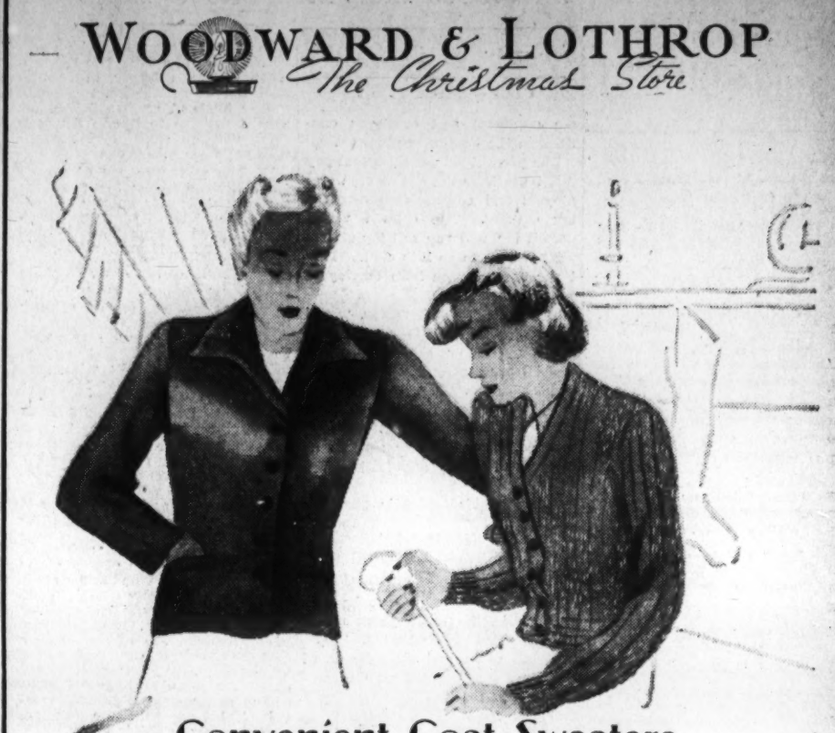

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Whatever her age, she will appreciate one of these easy "slipper-on-ers." Many styles, from the young cardigan to the more mature collar design; in soft colors feminine enough to blend harmoniously with daytime dress styles. Watch her enjoy the warmth of one of these wool or rayon-and-wool sweaters. Sizes 36 to 44. $3.95

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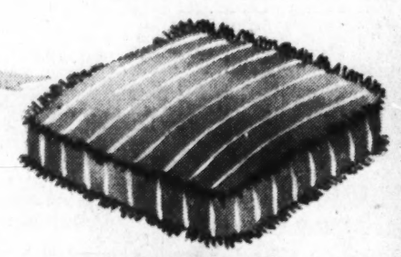
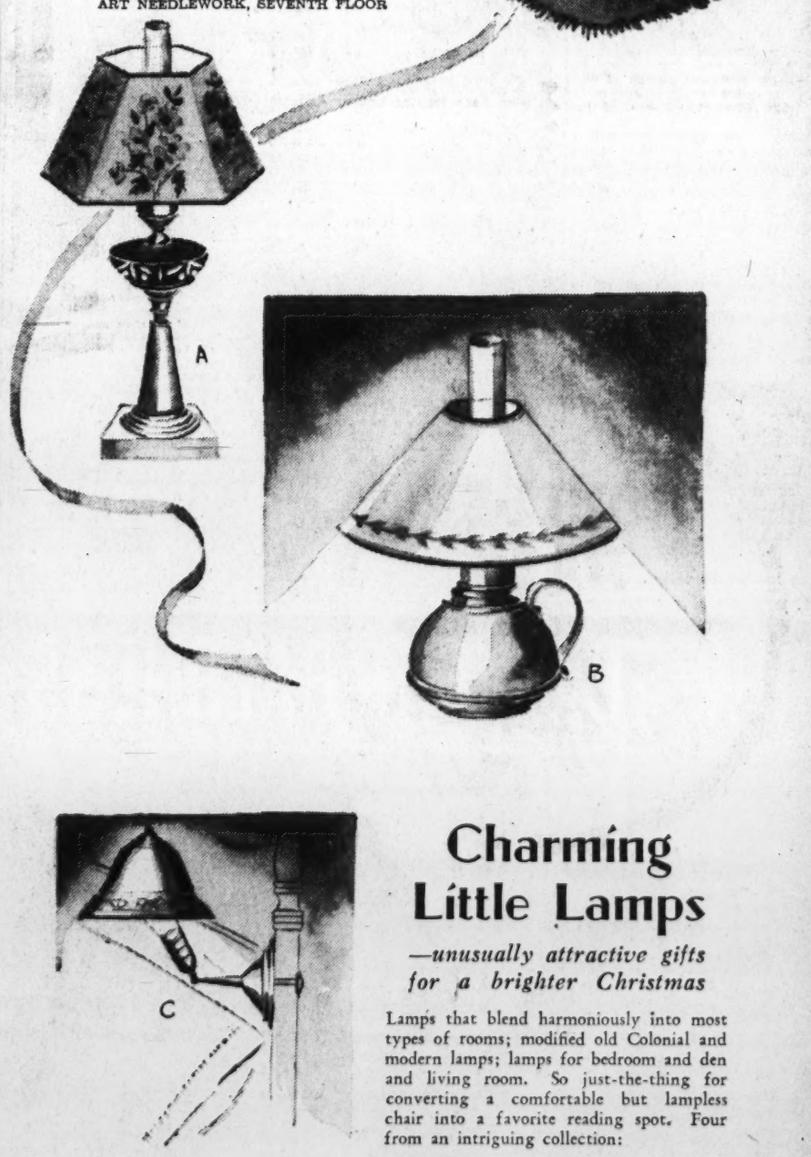


Smart Pillows

—for the living room—make attractive gifts

Plump, nonchalant little pillows that, tossed in chair and sofa corners, make a living room more inviting. In rayon moire, rayon satin stripe or rayon taffeta, with fringe edge; filled with duck down and feathers. Stripes or solid colors; green, gold, blue, eggshell. $2

ART NEEDLEWORK, SEVENTH FLOOR



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B—Colonial living-room-or-den bronze-finished lamp with chimney and shade..... $6.50

C—For desk, shelf, bed—bronze-finish lamp and shade that will clamp onto almost anything. $3.50

D—Modern brass and enamel-finish lamp with adjustable arm, shade $2.50

LAMPS, SEVENTH FLOOR

Young Couple Expecting Baby Needs $90 Aid

Gifts

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has had occasional part-time work, but nothing that has increased appreciably the small fund with which they hope—some day—to start a future together.

Finally, several weeks ago, Joe got his chance.

He has given such satisfaction during the more than two months on his first real job that a permanent position with the firm was assured him. For the present, it pays very little—$12 a week. And that is enough, this young couple estimates, to take care of them—but not enough to meet the additional needs of the new member of their family or to finance the bare necessities of their own, however modestly-furnished, home.

The families of these two young, puzzled citizens of the future are still hostile to their marriage, will accept any excuse—despite the expected child—to keep them apart, and could not do much for them if they would.

Agency Will Help

And, as Joe and Mary explained at the agency where they sought advice, "if we don't have our own home when the baby comes, we're afraid we'll never have it."

The case and the characters of young Mr. and Mrs. McM have been thoroughly investigated. The interested agency can and will help, insofar as it is able, in seeing them settled in a small establishment of their own before the baby arrives. But additional money is needed to buy a few essentials that otherwise can not be supplied.

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Contributions may be mailed to The Washington Post's Neediest Families Fund, or left in the Neediest Families Fund Box at the counter on the first floor of The Post Building, 1337 E street northwest.

Alexandria No Gretna Green, N. J. Pair Finds

Alexandria, Va., proved no Gretna Green yesterday for an amorous young couple from New Jersey.

Elliott F. Hoffman, clerk, who doles out marriage licenses in that historic town, received a telegram from Sanford Pollard in East Orange, N. J., begging him to refuse a license to Monroe Pollard and Laura Ellis. The telegram added that Mrs. Pollard was in a hospital suffering from shock.

Not long after the message arrived, Monroe and Laura appeared at Hoffman's office. With sympathy in his heart, but the telegram on his desk, he answered their request with a firm "no."

Among 18 marriage licenses issued yesterday in Alexandria, one was to Charles Paul Ward, of Elkton, Md., the Gretna Green closed to impatient lovers by a new Maryland law requiring 48 hours' notice of intent to wed.

The Arlington Ministerial Union, meanwhile, initiated a move to call a special session of the Virginia Legislature to halt threatened invasion of Alexandria by couples seeking hasty marriage.

Medical Society Holds Obstetrics Symposium

Sponsored by the Georgetown University Clinical Society and the George Washington University Medical Society, a symposium on obstetrical practice featured the weekly scientific meeting of the District Medical Society last night.

Talks were given by Drs. L. Lee Cockerille, Allan E. King, Bernard Notes and James Roger Costello. Drs. J. Bay Jacobs and Jerome F. Crowley led the discussion.

Advisers Ask Increased Age Benefit Payments And Smaller Reserve

Security

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ers one-third and employes one-third in the long-term program.

The present act provides that pay roll taxes bear the entire cost, employers and employes sharing the tax equally. The council would permit the 1940 pay roll tax rise to 1½ per cent to go into effect. It is 1 per cent now on both employers and employes.

The present act, however, would gradually increase the pay roll taxes until in 1948 they would reach 3 per cent on both employers and employes. The council plan would require the Government, after the 1½ per cent base is reached, through other sources of revenue to supply one-third of the funds.

The council's report in part follows:

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS

A. Recommendations on Benefits

I. The average old-age benefits payable in the early years under Title II should be increased.

II. The eventual annual cost of the insurance benefits now recommended, in relation to covered pay roll and from whatever source it may be financed, should not be increased beyond the eventual annual disbursements under the 1935 act.

III. The enhancement of the early old-age benefits under the system should be partly attained by the method of paying to a married annuitant on behalf of an aged wife a supplementary allowance equivalent to 50 per cent of the husband's own benefit; provided, that should a wife after attaining age 65 be otherwise eligible to a benefit in her own right which is larger in amount than the wife's allowance payable to her husband on her behalf the benefit payable to her in her own right will be substituted for the wife's allowance.

IV. The minimum age of a wife for eligibility under the provision for wives' supplementary allowances should be 65 years; provided, that marital status had existed prior to the husband's attainment of age 60.

V. The widow of an insured worker, following her attainment of age 65, should receive an annuity bearing a reasonable relationship to the worker's annuity; provided, that marital status had existed prior to the husband's attainment of age 60 and one year preceding the death of the husband.

VI. Each dependent child of a currently-insured individual upon his death prior to age 65 should receive an orphan's benefit, and a widow of a currently-insured individual, provided she has in her care one or more dependent children of the deceased husband, should receive a widow's benefit.

VII. The council unanimously agrees that provision of benefits to an assured person who becomes permanently and totally disabled, and to his dependent wife and children is socially desirable. Some members of the council are of the opinion that the program should be initiated immediately. Other members of the council, because of increased costs of the administrative problems involved, believe that the problem should receive further study.

VIII. The eventual rates of benefit payment to individuals as single annuitants should be reduced in some degree below those now incorporated in Title II in order to compensate in part for the additional cost to the system of the additional benefits above recommended. If there is an increase in national income this may not be necessary.

IX. The death benefit payable on account of coverage under the system should be strictly limited in amount but should be paid on the death of any qualified individual.

X. The payment of old-age benefits should be begun on January 1, 1940.

B. Recommendations on Coverage:

I. The employes of private nonprofit religious, charitable and educational institutions now excluded from coverage under Titles II and VIII should be brought into coverage under the same provisions of these titles as affect other covered groups.

II. The coverage of farm laborers and domestic employes under Titles II and VIII is socially desirable, and coverage as to taxes should be put into effect by January 1, 1940.

III. The old-age insurance program should be extended as soon as feasible to include additional groups not included in the previous recommendations of the council, and studies should be made of the administrative and financial problems involved in the coverage of self-employed persons.

C. Recommendations on Finance:

I. Since the Nation as a whole, independent of the beneficiaries of the system, will derive a benefit from the old-age security program, it is therefore appropriate that there be Federal financial participation in the old-age insurance system by means of revenues derived from sources other than pay roll taxes.

II. The principle of distributing the eventual cost of the old-age insurance system by means of approximately equal contributions by employers, employes and the Government is sound and should be definitely set forth in the law.

III. The introduction of a definite program of Federal financial participation in the system will affect the consideration of the future rates of taxes on employers and employes and their relation to future benefit payments.

IV. The financial program of the system should embody provision for a reasonable contingency fund to insure the ready payment of benefits at all times.

V. The planning of the old-age insurance program must take full account of the fact that, while disbursements for benefits are relatively small in the early years of the program, far larger total disbursements are inevitable in the future. No benefits should be promised or implied which cannot be safely financed not only in the early years of the program but when workers now young will be old.

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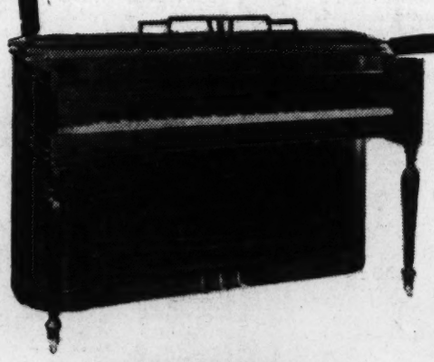

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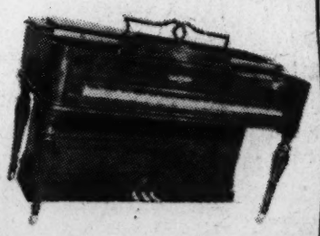

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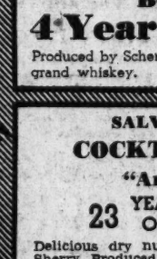

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$6,600,000 Loan Contract Signed by ADA

USHA Signature Still Required; First Funds Are Due in a Few Days

The United States Housing Authority is expecte d to make available within a few days a portion of the $6,600,000 loan for which the contract was signed yesterday by the Alley Dwelling Authority for a slum reclamation and low-rent housing program.

Terms of the contract also call for the annual payment by the USHA of a subsidy of not more than 3½ per cent of the total cost of the projects, or a maximum of $256,760.

Although the estimated cost of the four projects to be constructed is $7,336,000, the total authorized amount of the projects covered by the loan is $8,069,000 The USHA loan will be 90 per cent of the cost and the ADA will raise the remaining 10 per cent by sale of notes

USHA Must Sign

The only step remaining before a portion of the money is made available is "signing of the contract by the USHA It already has approval of President Roosevelt

John Ihlder, executive officer of the ADA, said yesterday surveys of the sites would be made as soon as the initial 3 per cent of the funds is obtained. Architects are making plans for construction of homes which will house aproximately 5,000 persons now living in unfit dwellings.

An agreement must be reached with the District Commissioners for support of the local government in demolition, closing or compulsory repair of substandard dwellings equal in number to the low-rent dwellings to be constructed.

Agreement Perfunctory

Since Commissioner Hazen, chairman of the ADA, aproved the contract, such an agreement is perfunctory. Other members of the ADA to approve signing of the contract were Arno B. Cammerer, executive officer, National Capital Park and Planning Commission, and David Lynn, architect of the Capitol.

The program contemplates the erection of 1,257 new homes to rent for an average of $4 a room a month, exclusive of utility costs. No schedule of rents has yet been worked out, but the homes will be reserved for families with incomes of not more than $1,100 a year.

Northwestern Pupils To Visit Homes Here

Twelve Washington students at Northwestern University will be home for the Christmas holidays.

They are Norman N. Bernstein, of 3209 Porter street northwest; Ann Elizabeth Carnahan, of 2700 Connecticut avenue northwest; Joseph F. Dyer, of 1107 O street northwest; Maxine Louise Gordon, William Manly Michaels, of 3400 Quesada street northwest; Barnett Mooney Needle, of 1374 Tuckerman street northwest; Dorothy Schearer, of 130 Maple avenue; Dorothy Hoag Spindle, of 1437 Rhode Island avenue northwest; Helen M. Sturdy, of 2105 O street northwest; Jean Mary Tait, of 3726 Connecticut avenue northwest; Lora K. Wills, of 1328 Webster street northeast and Marshal Theodore Wills.

Common Sense About Constipation

A doctor would tell you that the best thing to do with any ailment is to get at its *cause*. If you're constipated, don't fiddle with makeshift remedies. Find out what's giving you the trouble!

Chances are you won't have to look very far if you eat just the things most people do. Most likely you don't get enough "bulk"! And "bulk" doesn't mean just a lot of food. It means a *kind* of food that isn't consumed in the body, but leaves a soft "bulky" mass in the intestines and helps a bowel movement.

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Charges Fraud in $14,000,000 Estate

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

Mrs. Dorothy Ledyard Knight, one of the heirs to a $14,000,000 fortune, has charged an officer of the United States Trust Co. with defrauding her and her two infant daughters of a portion of the estate. She also charged that Vincent Astor and other wealthy men were beneficiaries of a conspiracy to cheat her daughters. She is shown with her husband, Richard A. Knight, in New York

Bridge Firm Wins Navy Yard Bid

A low bid of $325,940 for structural steel framework for a gun assembly shop at the Navy Yard here was submitted to the Navy Department yesterday by the American Bridge Co., of Baltimore.

The Bethlehem Steel Co., Bethlehem, Pa., bid $339,000, and the Belmont Iron Works, Philadelphia, $376,900.

The American Bridge Co., also was low bidder with an estimate of $1,219,000 on two 350-ton hammerhead cranes for use at the Norfolk and New York Navy yards.

Doctors See Pneumonia Films Tonight

Films on pneumonia will be viewed by physicians tonight at 9 o'clock at the meeting of the Medico-Chirurgical Society in the Mu-So-Lit Club, 1327 R street northwest.

The films, "A New Day," and "The Technical Aspects of the Intravenous Treatment of Pneumonia," will be presented by Dr. Melvin Price Isaminiger, director of the bureau of public health instruction, District health department.

Plans Concert Tonight

The annual Christmas concert of the Catholic University Glee Club will be given tonight at 8:15 o'clock in McMahon Hall auditorium on the university campus under direction of Dr. Leo Brehendt.

The chorus of 48 voices will be the largest since the club was organized in 1921. Louise Ryan McNermey, of Washington, a graduate of the Peabody Conservatory of Music in Baltimore, will play two groups of piano solos, and the glee club will sing three groups of songs, including Christmas carols.

Cantor Vigoda to Chant Service at Beth Sholom

Cantor Samuel Vigoda, of New York, recently returned from a concert tour in Latin America, will chant the Sabbath service at the Beth Sholom Synagogue, Eighth and Shepherd streets northwest, at 8 p. m. tomorrow.

He will be assisted by a choir under direction of Louis Fenik. Rabbi Zemach Green, of the Ohev Sholom Congregation, will preach.

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Nazis Planning To Denounce Vatican Pact

Expropriation of Lands Held by Church Orders Is Also in Prospect

By Ralph W. Barnes

Special Cable to The Post.

Berlin, Dec. 14.—Denunciation of the Reich-Vatican Concordat concluded in 1933 and gradual expropriation of landed property held by the monastic orders in Germany are two primary points in a general project now being worked out by the Nazi authorities for "a final solution" of the question of the Roman Catholic Church in this country.

Obviously the plan means the liquidation by stages of all the monastic orders in the Greater Reich.

The legal features of the sweeping project are being elaborated, it is understood, by the ministry of church affairs in collaboration with the ministry of the interior and other ministries concerned.

Though the general principles of the project already have the sanction of Reichsfuehrer Hitler, the formulation of the details may not yet have progressed far enough for submission to him.

Through steady pressure, the Nazis have already gone a long way toward restricting the sphere of the church, even resorting to what the ecclesiastical authorities have described as many "outright violations" of the concordat. Six months after the Nazis assumed power, this treaty between the Vatican and the Reich was concluded, with Col. Franz von Papen as the Fuehrer's special envoy.

One reason to be given for the projected denunciation, it was understood, was that in 1933 it was impossible to foresee the full implications of the concordat. Under the Nazi ideology, religion should be wholly a matter of domestic concern, and obviously Hitler now is resolved to make it so. Thus, a break with the Vatican would be a logical step.

Although the Nazi leadership is not yet prepared to say so openly, the ultimate goal is establishment of a single "German faith" devoid of all Christian elements.

Expropriation of monasterial landed property already has begun in Austria. Under general plans now being prepared, much of the land acquired by the clerical orders from successive Austrian governments since 1918 will be confiscated, it was reported, without compensation. In contrast, the plan was believed to call for compensation for the bulk of monastic property in the old Reich, which is to be expropriated.

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Jews Must Pay Today

Berlin, Dec. 14 (AP).—Preparations progressed quietly today for payment tomorrow of the first of four instalments of the $400,000,000 tribute levied by the German government against Jews for the slaying in Paris of Ernst Vom Rath, legation secretary.

Foreign journalists learned of cases where Jews protested they did not have the cash and could not raise the amount required—each Jew must pay as the first instalment 5 per cent of his total wealth, in cash if possible.

These protesting Jews were asked to turn in their family jewelry. With some trouble officials were persuaded to accept securities in lieu of cash. Securities so obtained are being deposited in the Preussische Seehandlungsbank, a state institution, which will convert them gradually in order not to upset the market.

The total $400,000,000 fine is to be paid by a total assessment of 20 per cent of the wealth of Germany's Jews as declared by them last April 27 under a compulsory order. The last of four equal instalments is due August 15, 1939.

Schact in London

Special Cable to The Post.

London, Dec. 14.—Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, president of the Reichsbank, arrived in London today for the dual purpose of heading off Britain's threat to start a trade war with Germany in southeastern Europe, and of promoting an intricate financial scheme which would permit the Nazis to export their unwanted Jews at little or no cost to Germany.

Officially Schacht's visit is described as a "private one" to Montagu Norman, governor of the Bank of England.

It is understood, however, that in a few days Schacht may see George Rublee, American director of the inter-governmental committee on political refugees, in order to advance Hitler's project for sending the Jews out of Germany, while keeping their resources in custody in the Reich.

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Rewards Finders of Ring

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

Princess Doris Farid es Sultaneh, who sailed for Paris yesterday after presenting to two young New York women clerks $250 each because they found her $15,000 ring, lost in a department store

Panama Jury Convicts Nazi as Spy

Hans Schackow Found Guilty of Taking Photos of Defenses

By the Associated Press.

Cristobal, Canal Zone, Dec. 14.—A Federal court jury today convicted a 26-year-old German, Hans Heinrich Schackow, of unlawfully obtaining information on the defense of the United States.

The jury deliberated about two hours before returning its verdict in the Canal Zone's first espionage trial. Schackow probably will be sentenced December 22, when the court will hear a motion for a new trial.

Schackow, a German steamship company employe, was charged with taking photographs of Canal Zone fortifications in October with three other Germans. The others are Ingeborg Walrunt Gutman, 19-year-old girl secretary; Robert Edward Kuhrig, 29, and Gisbert Wilhelm Gross, 26. Kuhrig's trial has been set for January 4. The other two will be tried later.

Judge Bunk Gardner had instructed Schackow's jury to convict if it found Schackow had entered the Canal Zone military reservation "for the purpose of obtaining information respecting national defense with the intent or reason to believe that the information to be obtained would and is to be used to the injury of the United States or to the advantage of a foreign nation."

China Relief Concert At Foundry Church

Several hundred music-lovers attended a benefit concert for Chinese relief last night at Foundry Methodist Episcopal Church, sponsored by the Foundry Forge, the young people's organization of the congregation.

The Papas' Guitar, Mandolin and Banjo Orchestra of this city and Miss Hazen Helsper, lyric soprano, were featured on the program, of which Edwin C. Fors was chairman. Dr. R. W. Ma, of China, spoke briefly. The Rev. E. L. Ford, Foundry religious education director, and Mary Ella Bostick, secretary of the Forge co-operated.

German Press Suddenly Mild On Memel Issue

Prints Only Vote Figures But Diplomats Forecast Annexation by Spring

By the Associated Press.

Berlin, Dec. 14.—The controlled German press assumed a sudden reserve on the long-smouldering Memel issue tonight although diplomatic quarters predicted the return of that former German territory to the Reich before spring.

In contrast to the columns printed last week on Memellanders' desires to join Germany, newspapers today printed only short dispatches reporting that in Sunday's Memel Parliament elections German candidates won 88.5 per cent of the votes in 77 of 228 districts and 78.4 per cent of the votes in the city.

Writing on Wall

Diplomatic quarters based their forecasts not on the election figures so much as on what they called "important elements" like the 1938 German annexation of Austria and Czecho-Slovakia's Sudetenland and the "obvious motive" in new pro-German demonstrations in Memel, a district of 1,099 square miles which Lithuania took from Germany after the World War.

(Preliminary tabulations of election returns, a Memel dispatch said, showed Germans had gained only one seat from Lithuanians despite a strong "back to the Reich" campaign which gave the voting the flavor of a plebiscite on the question of rejoining Germany.)

The first count showed German candidates won 25 out of the 29 Diet seas. They had predicted they would win 26. In the last election, Lithuanians won 5 seats and Germans, 24.

Events Move Fast

Informed circles believed events were moving so fast that Reichsfuehrer Hitler might be able to call the German Reichstag January 30, the sixth anniversary of his assumption to power, to bring Memel and its 150,000 Germans into the Reich.

These sources held it likely that circumstances had reached the status wherein the Memel Diet would vote—when it meets late in January—that Memel belongs to Germany, and, Hitler would be invited to step in because "that is the will of the Memel people."

French Court Gives Singer 20 Years For Kidnaping

Paris, Dec. 14 (AP).—La Plevitskaia, middle-aged Ukrainian concert singer, was sentenced to 20 years' imprisonment with hard labor today for complicity in kidnaping the White Russian Gen. Eugene de Miller, missing leader of the Czarist War Veterans' Organization in Paris.

The court also ordered her banished for ten years from France after completing the prison term.

The singer, Nadine Plevitskaia Skobline, was accused of helping her husband, Gen. Nicholas Skobline, in kidnaping De Miller September 22, 1937. Skobline vanished the following day.

The prosecution contended De Miller was killed and his body smuggled out of France aboard a Soviet freighted.

Big Defense Plans Propaganda For War, Gen. Moseley Charges

By Miles W. Vaughn,
United Press Staff Correspondent.

New York, Dec. 14.—Maj. Gen. George Van Horn Moseley, former commander of the Fourth Corps Area and of the Third Army, today attacked proposals for a "gigantic national defense program" as "propaganda of war."

"Much of our present weakness," the general said in a speech prepared for delivery at the annual meeting of the New York Board of Trade, "is in the fear and hysteria being engendered among the American people for the political purpose of finding justification for enormous expenditures under the guise of national defense."

The general suggested this three-point program to keep the Nation out of war:

1. A settlement with Japan to insure a lasting peace in the Pacific with increasing trade for the United States.
2. A mind-our-own business policy in Europe.
3. A campaign at home "to drive out domestic enemies."

The address throughout bristled with criticism of the Administration's foreign and domestic policies, and carried forward the reasoning in the general's statement of September 30, in which he rebuked the New Deal for "untried theories" which "endanger the United States from within."

The September 30 statement, issued on the occasion of the general's retirement from active service, brought a sharp reprimand from Secretary of War Woodring, who accused the general of disloyalty.

The general described the Government's foreign policy today as one of "injecting ourselves in a most irritating way into the internal affairs of certain neighbors, and thus storing up for ourselves future difficulties which one day may lead to war."

The American people, he believed, do not want war, and one way to avoid it is to reach an understanding with Japan.

Wallis's Aunt Sails For Royal Christmas

New York, Dec. 14 (AP).—Mrs. D. Buchanan Merryman, of Washington, aunt of the Duchess of Windsor, sailed today in the Italian liner Rex to spend Christmas with the duke and duchess at Antibes on the French Riviera.

In Vatican Jail

Vatican City, Dec. 14 (AP).—The usually vacant jail of Vatican City is likely to have at least one occupant for the next four years and four months.

Sentence of that length was imposed today on Mario Politi on his conviction of embezzling 608,000 lire ($32,981) while a bookkeeper for the Vatisan Library.

Clemenceau's Grandson Weds New Orleans Girl

New Orleans, Dec. 14 (AP).—Miss Jane Louise Grunewald, former New Orleans debutante, and Pierre Clemenceau, grandson of France's war-time premier, Georges Clemenceau, were married tonight at the bride's home here.

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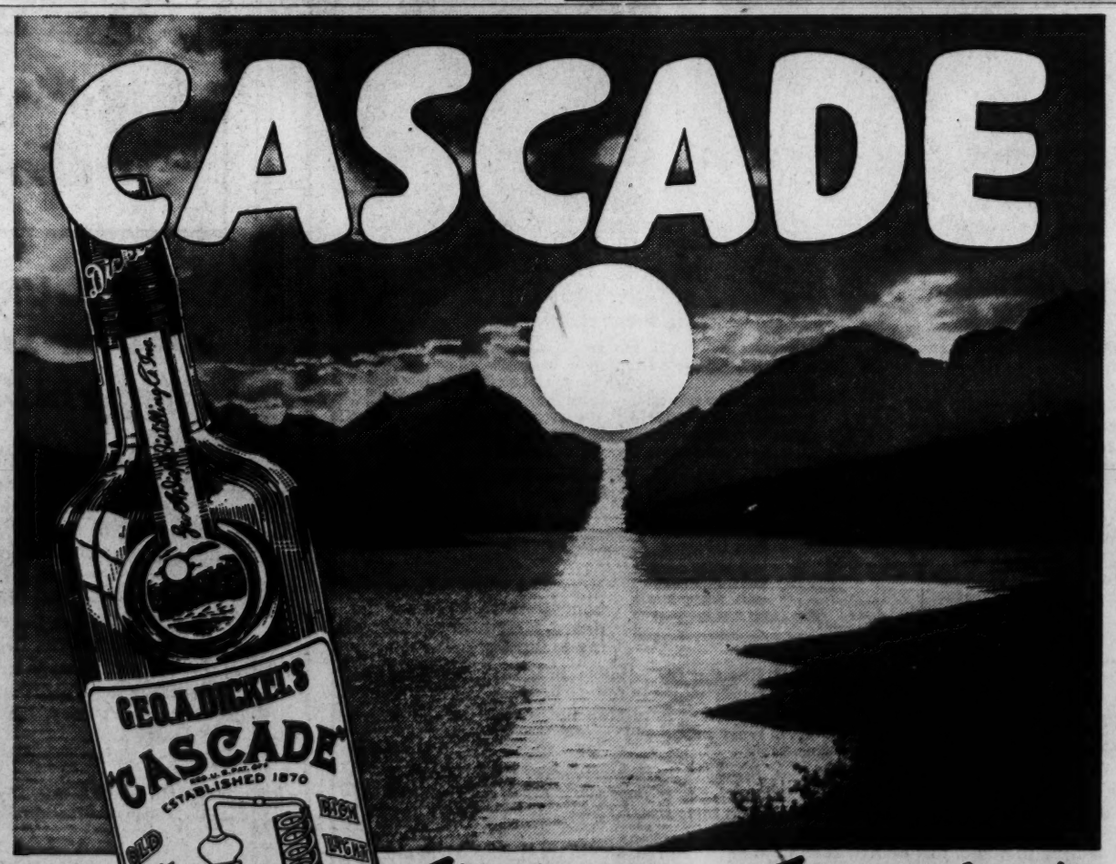

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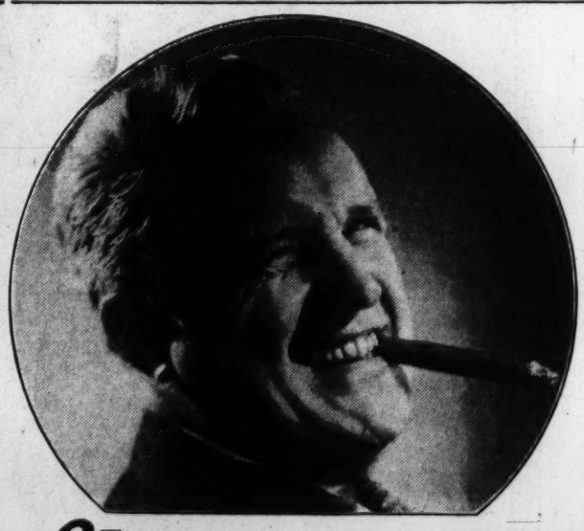

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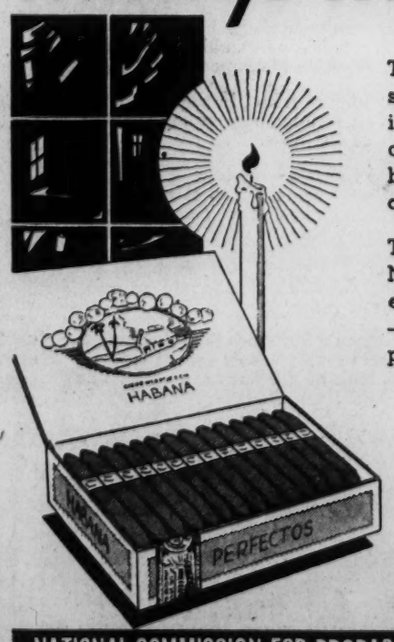

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Baptists Close Churches In Rumania

Government Decree Prompts Move; U. S. Asked to Protest

Bucharest, Dec. 14.—More than 80,000 Rumanian Baptists today voluntarily closed their 1,500 churches and prayer houses throughout the country to forestall action of King Carol's dictatorship under a decree issued last June, augmenting the campaign against Jews.

In order to continue services, all religious units were required to submit petitoins signed by at least 100 family heads in each community. This the Baptists were unable to do because their churches are scattered throughout the land in small communities.

To complaints of American Baptists the government replied that the churches were free to continue functioning.

[The executive committee of the Southern Baptist convention, meeting in Nashville, Tenn., adopted a resolution asserting that in Rumanian "ministers and laymen have been thrust into prison, their civil rights have been taken from them, and, in addition to imprisonment, many fines have been imposed." The resolution asked President Roosevelt to protest to Carol's government, the Associated Press reported.]

It was disclosed that the church was reprimanded for "illegal interventions and efforts to exert improper influences through the international organization."

Carol's cabinet today worked out a ten-year program for the gradual reduction of the influence of Jews and foreigners, by which no occupation group could have more than 50 per cent "foreigners" and many groups would have a much smaller percenage.

Americas Asked To Share Burden Of Monroe Doctrine

Lima

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is offered to a plenary session.—Editor's note.]

Lopez de Mesa, called attention to pressure of European events and political theories on the Americas in his proposal for a broadening of the doctrine proclaimed in 1823 by President Monroe.

"National interests of the United States are coinciding with those of individual states of Latin America," he asserted in praising the "wonderful broadening of ideas of great statesmen" of the United States.

He made his proposal during a plea for Columbia's project for a league of American nations, which the conference seemed likely to postpone until its next meeting in 1943.

[A special dispatch to The Post said that Lopez de Mesa withdrew the Colombian project from present consideration and recommended that it be delayed until the next Pan-American parley. This step, the dispatch said, avoided a protracted and futile debate.—Editor's note.]

Behind-the-scenes discussion for reaching a common plan on continental defense went ahead, Secretary of State Hull conferring with Dr. Isidoro Ruiz Moreno, chairman of the Argentine delegation. Argentine sources said a defense proposal had not yet been submitted formally because approval of all delegations had to be obtained.

An Argentine-Mexican plan for a declaration calling for an end to the Spanish civil war narrowed down through discussions to an appeal to the Spanish people to end the conflict.

The original idea of offering Pan-American mediation virtually was abandoned because some delegates argued that at the moment, when American nations were denouncing any European intervention in the Western Hemisphere, they should not attempt to interfere in European affairs.

The conference began a study of the report of the legal experts committee recommending a declaration against recognition of territory acquired through any form of aggression.

The suggested declaration had three points: That armed aggression was unlawful, that conquest was not admissible as a means of acquiring territory, and that no recognition would be accorded acquisition of territory through arms, under pressure of armed force or through any other method of coercion.

Any Move to Seize French Land Means War, Bonnet Tells Aides in Warning to Italy

French

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treaty as having lapsed by virtue of the sanctions campaign.

This treaty regulates the position of the Italian colony in Tunis, and provides for its liquidation by 1965.

Bonnet warmly defended the Franco-German "no war" declaration, which he signed in Paris with Ribbentrop, declaring it permitted them to contemplate speedy development of their political and economic relations to benefit general peace.

He told the committee this pact had been warmly received in the United States and England, and denied he had ever considered signing an accord which would have prevented the French press from attacking Reichsfuehrer Hitler or Naziism.

A large part of Bonnet's speech was devoted to the question of refugees in France. He said that these totaled more than 200,000, of which 40,000 were Jews.

He told the committee a plan for aiding the refugees was being drawn up which provided establishment of refugees in the French colonies, admission of refugees to France to the extent to which the United States and Great Britain made a proportionate effort, and a special committee for caring for abandoned children.

[Bonnet's warning was given point by Navy Minister Campinchi, who told the navy committee that despite the Italian arms program and delays in French building, the French navy was stronger than that of Italy, the Associated Press said.

[Concerning the Spanish civil war Bonnet said that he had impressed upon Ribbentrop France's desire to see foreign volunteers withdrawn under the London nonintervention accord, and that the German foreign minister had replied only about 3,000 German volunteers remained in Spain.

[Bonnet told the deputies recent reports of a German-sponsored movement for an autonomous Ukraine were "exaggerated."

[Departure from Paris tonight of Yotaro Sugimura, Japanese Ambassador to Paris, although ostensibly for "reasons of health," recalled the delicate relations between France and Japan. Sugimura has asked his government to relieve him of official duties, the Japanese Embassy said.—Editor's note.]

Campinchi told the naval committee the French program provided for a navy with a tonnage of more than 700,000 tons by 1942.

Campinchi said the Richelieu, the first 35,000-ton French battleship, would be launched January 17, and that on the same day the second ship of that class, the Georges Clemenceau, would be started. Furthermore, work has been begun on the airplane carrier, Joffre, which is to be completed within 42 months.

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Italy Votes Armament Increase

Italy

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the role of a French Sudetenland.

The Resto del Carlino, Blackshirt organ of Bologna, predicted bluntly:

"Everything makes us think the same phases of the Czech struggle will be repeated and that the French intransigence finally will end up ceding rights of reality to Italy."

Gayda said French statistics were wrong in representing the French as outnumbering Italians. Gayda said Italians actually far outnumber the French and added that this was fundamental basis of "the Italian right to raise the problem of Tunisia."

(The Tunisian census of 1936 gave the protectorate's total European population as 213,205, made up of 108,068 French, exclusive of the army of occupation and naval forces; 94,289 Italians, 7,279 Maltese, 323 Spaniards, 454 Greeks and 2792 other foreigners. The native population was 2,395,108.)

"Tunisia!" and "Tunisia for us!" have been rallying cries of demonstrating Fascists since the November 30 speech by the foreign minister, Count Galeazzo Ciano on Italian "aspirations." Italian desires regarding Tunisia have not been officially formulated.

Foreign military attaches were particularly impressed by the increase for the air force, which would play a vital and perhaps decisive role in any war in the Mediterranean.

Experts calculated that the appropriations for the war, navy and aviation ministries alone represent 35 per cent of the government's total estimated expenditures for the 1939-1940 fiscal year. This figure does not include increases of about $26,325,000 for the ministries of agriculture, public works and corporations which aid indirectly in improving Italy's national defense.

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Reds Denounce Drunken Actors

Moscow, Dec. 14 (AP).—A demand for more "Bolshevist discipline" in theaters and operas was voiced today by the newspaper Soviet Art.

An editorial charged that theater managements were too lenient, actors sometimes came to work drunk or late, and that the biggest nuisance was the "floaters who run from theater to theater, wherever they can get the most money."

Duce Sees Deputies End Own Jobs

Rome, Dec. 14 (AP).—Italy's Chamber of Deputies, last withered relic of the pre-Fascist liberal regime, voted itself out of existence today while Premier Mussolini looked on.

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Chamberlain Backs French On Tunisia

Tells Commons Britain Would View Attack With 'Grave Concern'

By Frank R. Kelley
Special Cable to The Post.

London, Dec. 14.—Prime Minister Chamberlain today formally crossed Tunisia, French protectorate in North Africa, off the list of possible concessions to Italy's demand for territorial expansion along the shores of the Mediterranean.

Following his advice last night to the dictators to speak reasonably without threatening war, if they wanted their grievances discussed, and his reaffirmation of the Anglo-French entente, Chamberlain stated in Commons this afternoon that the British government would view with "grave concern" any attack on Tunisia by Italy.

"In the view of the government," Chamberlain said, "the undertaking to respect the status quo in the Mediterranean as embodied in the Anglo-Italian agreement, certainly applies to Tunis."

'Grave Concern'

"Any action which is contrary to the agreement will, of course, be a matter of grave concern to the government. We cannot, however, contemplate the possibility of such an attack as is suggested in this question."

Asked by Geoffrey Mander, a Liberal, whether in the course of the recent Anglo-French general staff talks, arrangements had been made for the joint defense of Nice, Corsica and Tunisia, Chamberlain replied:

"I am not able to add anything to the general statement I made recently."

It is no secret, however, that during the September crisis over Czechoslovakia, France and Britain resurrected their plans for general collaboration by land, sea and air, to protect the area from the North Sea to the North African seaboard. The French, while helping out with their fleet in the Atlantic and western Mediterranean, were ready to attack Italy and Libya to divert Mussolini's attention from Egypt and the Suez Canal.

Snub Is Resented

Reaction to the Nazi boycott of Chamberlain's speech last night has stiffened the prime minister's attitude toward the dictators, in the opinion of observers here.

Nevertheless, there are signs that Chamberlain is willing to talk about some concession in Spain, when he meets Il Duce in Rome next month. The British are inclined to wink at new evidence of Italian intervention in Spain. This inspires the belief that Chamberlain will eventually acquiesce to Italy's desire to insure a victory in Spain for Gen. Francisco Franco, by granting him belligerent rights in a few weeks or months.

So far Chamberlain has not admitted that the Anglo-Italian agreement to respect the status quo in the Mediterranean would prevent any such concession to Mussolini and Franco.

Much of the excitement over the German boycott of Chamberlain's speech last night subsided today. In Whitehall it was said the snub was a matter which concerned only the German Embassy and the Foreign Press Association, not Chamberlain.

At the German Embassy it was stated that the incident was considered "closed."

Ambassador von Dirksen did not apologize directly to Chamberlain for his absence, but he sent a letter this morning to Dr. Stephen Littauer, president of the Foreign Press Association.

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Syrian Concessions Halted

Paris, Dec. 14 (U.P.).—Postponement of Syrian independence was voted by the foreign affairs commission of the French Chamber of Deputies today to tighten the French empire in the face of Italian aspirations in the Mediterranean. The commission voted to request the government to annul all treaty negotiations leading to Syrian independence, long under way, and to resume its League mandate with full French administrative control.

French Jail Italians

Tunis, Dec. 14 (AP)—French authorities made plain today their determination to put down any rioting over Fascist claims in Tunisia.

A police court sentenced Paulo Catalanotti to six months in prison for throwing a stone at policemen. Luigi Spano was sentenced to 15 days in jail for taking part in a street demonstration.

George VI Marks 43d Birthday

London, Dec. 14 (AP).—King George VI observed his forty-third birthday today with a quiet family celebration, but the empire will not hold its official observance until next June 6.

The official celebration is customarily held in June so that it will not be marred by inclement weather.

Learns to Fly to Aid Chinese

Hilda Yatsing Yen, an American-educated Chinese, is shown at Mineola, N. Y., after she obtained her pilot's license. She will act as advance agent for a group of Chinese girls who will tour the country in January to raise funds for Chinese aid

A.P. Wirephoto.

Spies Preparing For Sabotage, Dies Agent Says

Existing Groups Could Cause Great Damage, Metcalfe Declares

By the Associated Press.

A warning that spies are setting up a "potential sabotage machine" designed to impair the United States' industrial and military efficiency in time of war came yesterday from an investigator for the House committee on un-American activities. The speaker was John C. Metcalfe, who made a six months' inquiry into activities of subversive groups.

President Roosevelt recently told newsmen he would recommend increased expenditures to combat espionage activities by foreign agents.

"The real aim of the American Nazi movement," Metcalfe told the committee, "is to build up in the United States a spy organization, a potential sabotage machine and a German minority . . ."

Asserting that Germany was not the only foreign country whose nationals were engaged in such activities, Metcalfe said existing undercover organizations could do great damage here in event of war unless the Government took "militant steps" to eliminate them.

The committee, which is planning to conclude its prolonged hearings today because its funds are exhausted, heard from another witness a demand for "thorough investigation" of this Government's continued recognition of Soviet Russia.

George E. Sullivan, attorney and author, of Washington, said loyal Americans would like to know whether Communists and their helpers were being treated as having civil rights to carry on "their lawless agitation and propaganda for forceful overthrow of our republic."

Questioned by Representative Thomas (Republican), of New Jersey, as to whether he believed there should be a Congressional investigation of the steps which led to recognition of the Soviet, Sullivan replied:

"I decidedly do."

Dies has announced he will ask Congress for new funds and an extension of life for the committee.

Nazis Need Maids, To Call 3,000 Home

Berlin, Dec. 14 (AP).—Some 3,000 German maidservants now employed in The Netherlands will be summoned back to Germany by February 1, 1939, to relieve the domestic help shortage in the Reich, a foreign office spokesman said today.

He declared Amsterdam reports that 25,000 would be called home were exaggerated.

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Reds Held Planning Super-Battleships

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Berlin, Dec. 14.—The U. S. S. R. is planning to construct three 40,000-ton battleships "for service in the Baltic Sea," according to the 1939 issue of Weyer's Naval Handbook.

These battleships, larger by about 16,000 tons than the now obsolete ships built in the imperial era—and heavier by 5,000 tons than any German ships so far planned—are the first to be projected under the Soviet regime.

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Nazis Seize Citizen Of U.S. for Treason

Hamburg, Germany, Dec. 14 (AP).—The arrest, as he stepped off a U. S. liner, of George Roth, naturalized United States citizen, on a charge of "perpetration of high treason" was under investigation today by Wilbur Keblinger, American consul general. The State Department ordered the investigation.

Chiang Adopts Red Politics To Aid War

'Purge' Plan Reported, Mass Methods Outlined; British Stand Blamed

By the Associated Press.

Kweilin, China, Dec. 14.—Gen. Chiang was disclosed today to have swung toward the political tactics of Chinese Communists in a new program to combat the Japanese invasion.

Officers at this South China military headquarters in Kwangsi Province disclosed Chiang had summoned a political-military conference in furtherance of the new program, which was announced to the military staff three weeks ago.

One purpose of the conference, to be held at Chungking, was reported to be to purge the government of "defeatist elements" before embarking on the second phase of the war—hit and run attacks on Japanese forces throughout occupied territory.

To Organize Unions

Chiang's new program embraces rapid organization of farm unions, mass education, and mobilization of guerrilla armies in the Yangtze Valley similar to those of the Communists to the north.

The new policy was said to have been formed after Chiang talked to British Ambassador Sir Archibald Clark Kerr in mid-November. Then he was reported to have told the envoy that unless British policies were changed to permit aid to China he would turn elsewhere.

At that time Chiang also talked to representatives of Soviet Russia and was said to have planned conferences with French and American envoys.

French Food Cut Off

Hankow, Dec. 14 (AP). — Local French authorities have referred to Paris a serious controversy with Hankow's Japanese conquerors over the status of the French concession, in which many Americans live.

In retaliation for the alleged refusal of the French to hand over anti-Japanese persons who have taken refuge there the Japanese have stopped food supplies entering the concession and have cut off its normal water supply. Food and water are running low.

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U. S. Ponders Backing Loan Of $25,000,000 for China

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The Federal Government is considering financing sale of between $25,000,000 and $50,000,000 of American products to China, it was learned last night.

The plan, which officials described as "very complicated," is expected to be announced shortly. It was emphasized meantime that it will not be a formal loan which Japan, in her war on China, might construe as an unfriendly gesture.

The program has been taking shape for several weeks in discussions between Treasury Department officials and members of a Chinese financial mission, headed by K. P. Chen, Shanghai banker. The mission came here ostensibly for the purpose of obtaining financial aid in the war with Japan.

An official indicated the Federal Export-Import Bank would establish commercial credits for American exporters, reportedly automobile and truck manufacturers, and that these would be underwritten by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

It remains conjectural how China proposes to reimburse the Treasury but it was suggested that Chinese silver shipments will provide adequate surety. Since 1936, the Treasury has bought, at prices ranging from 43 to 47 cents an ounce, more than 300,000,000 ounces.

Hungarian Nazis Reported Crushed

London, Thursday, Dec. 15 (U.P.).—The Daily Telegraph's Budapest correspondent said today the Hungarian Parliament was thrown into an uproar last night when Interior Minister Kerosztes Fischer revealed that Nazis had attempted a rising on December 1 to seize power.

The dispatch quoted Fischer as saying police, learning of the plans, mobilized at full strength and used bayonets and rifle butts on crowds after Nazi rioters refused to disperse, attacked police with blackjacks and brass knuckles and held up automobiles. Two rioters were reported killed and 44 wounded.

Influential Spaniards Seek Christmas Truce

Paris, Dec. 14 (AP).—The Spanish Committee for Civil Peace, formed by influential Spaniards abroad, announced tonight it had opened negotiations for a Christmas truce in Spain's civil war.

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Prying Into the Mosquito's Life

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Recording Life History of an Insect

Five thousand mosquito eggs were shipped from Florida to Washington to permit Hashime Murayama, National Geographic Society artist, to record the insect's life cycle. As the insects develop from the eggs, the artist (above) draws the various life stages. Drawing at right shows tiny egg rafts, "wigglers," then pupae and finally the adult mosquito emerging from the water.

Post Staff Photo.

Living Picture

Robert Brubaker and Grace Ingalls pose before a window to portray a living picture of the Gothic period of history. This was one of a series of living pictures through the ages, a presentation of the Langley Junior High School's 9B art appreciation group.

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

Touchdown Kiss Starts Romance

Dick Amerine, Kansas U. halfback, happily carries Dorothy Lemoine's books for her, because they are engaged. She kissed him after he made a touchdown against Oklahoma—"I liked it, so I started dating her."

Christmas Seal

At left — This year's Christmas seal came to life yesterday at the White House for Mrs. Roosevelt, who received her quota of seals. The seal characters were portrayed by Mrs. Raymond F. Harper, her daughter, Jane Frances, and Mark Gilbert Tennyson, all of Washington.

Associated Press Photo

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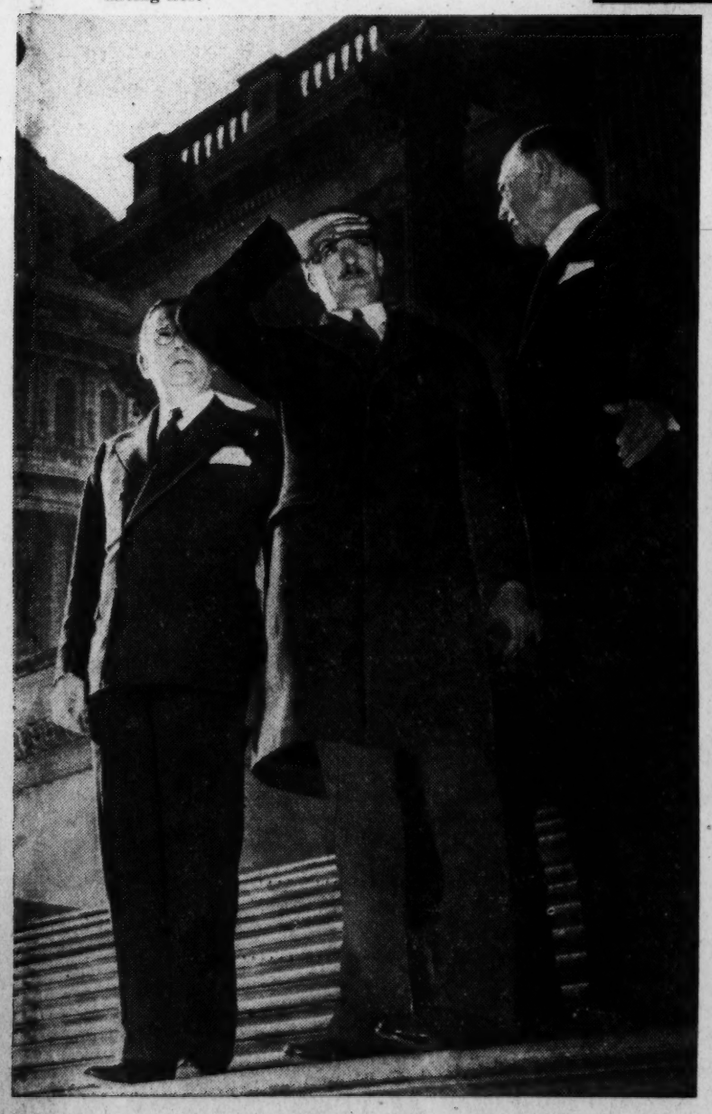
He's an Authority

William E. Levis, Owens-Illinois Glass Co. president, who testified before the monopoly committee yesterday, spent some time peering through tumblers in the hearing room while waiting to testify. He announced them as being "all right."



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Anthony Eden Tours Capitol

Joseph J. Sinnott, House doorkeeper, explains the House seating arrangement (above) to Anthony Eden, British statesman, as Col. Ed Halsey, secretary to the Senate, listens. Eden is shown at left on the Capitol steps with Col. Halsey (left) and Senator Pittman. The visitor kept photographers on the run as he made a fast tour of the Capitol.

Post Staff Photo.

Visitor's Day

At right—Lucien Rice, 12, visits Skippy at the dog pound. Skippy, sentenced to die a month ago for allegedly nipping a neighbor and then reprieved, gets new trial today.

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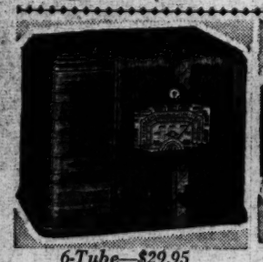

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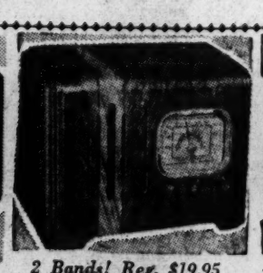

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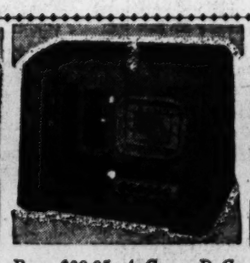

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A Financial Mystery

Preliminary investigations by company officials have led them to conclude that possibly $10,000,000 worth of drugs and $8,000,000 of accounts receivable, listed as assets of McKesson & Robbins, may be nonexistent.

According to one official the facts are "so fantastic that we still can't believe them." The situation would, indeed, offer first class material for a writer of mystery stories.

The parent company has at any rate discovered that Canadian warehouses supposed to hold crude drugs in storage are nonexistent. "Just plain mailing addresses," the treasurer of the parent concern calls them. Monthly reports were received from these phantom warehouses relative to incoming and outgoing inventory, and earnings were reported from year to year. But the conviction grows that the "whole thing is just a hollow shell."

Adding a special touch to this tale of make-believe is the fact that a well known private auditing firm had examined the books of the company. Dun & Bradstreet reports on the concern which had supposedly insured the missing inventories are also said to be forgeries of a particularly flagrant variety.

One's first reaction to a story of this sort is to wonder why the responsible officials, the auditors, the regulatory agencies set up to prevent frauds and misrepresentation, failed to discover the real state of affairs sooner. Further reflection, however, leads to the realization that checks upon the far-flung activities of a company such as McKesson & Robbins are not easily applied.

Until the full details of the affair are exposed, judgment should be suspended. But there certainly seems to be need of a more reliable system of audits that would make it impossible to conceal the nonexistence of warehouses supposedly housing millions of dollars of inventories.

No matter what precautions are taken to protect the public against fraud, dishonest and scheming officials will, at times, find means of evading them. No system of regulation, no kind of internal checks and counterchecks afford adequate safeguards against the tricks and ingenious plots of some of the arch-financiers who labor to exploit rather than benefit those whose funds they control.

The best that can be done is to make the going ever harder for such individuals. One of the surest ways to discourage them is to take prompt and stern measures to apprehend and punish those discovered to be guilty of fraudulent practices.

Symptom Of Recovery

The success of the Federal Housing Administration in helping to revive a dormant industry is attested by the record of the past ten months. Due largely, Administrator McDonald believes, to the liberalizing amendments to the housing act approved last February, mortgage insurance operations are now more than double the rate of a year ago.

With nearly $1,600,000,000 of insured mortgages outstanding on December 1, and applications for insurance currently exceeding $100,000,000 monthly, it is apparent that the existing $2,000,000,000 limitation upon the insurable totals will soon be reached. Consequently President Roosevelt has acceded to a request to raise the figure to $3,000,000,000.

As Mr. McDonald states in his letter to the President, decent housing facilities are still "grossly inadequate." Moreover, in spite of the sharp upturn in residential construction during the present year, the volume of building is far below what would once have been considered normal. Hence, given a continuance of present favorable conditions, there is every reason to expect further expansion of building activities during the coming year.

The Federal Housing Administration neither subsidizes construction nor competes with private financing agencies. On the contrary, its aim is to encourage the private financing of home building through the insurance features of the act. At the same time, and equally important, it endeavors to protect buyers and builders against unsound financing, excessive building costs, and other evils that were contributory to the real estate collapse of the depression years.

In other words, the FHA is not engaged in spending public funds to bring about a temporary revival of building activity. It is concentrating upon the task of removing obstacles to a normal revival of private activity. Its achievements to date give rise to well-founded hope that a basis has been laid for a permanent recovery in an especially depressed industry with an abnormally high percentage of unemployment.

War Psychology

Because Premier Chamberlain planned, at a public dinner, to rebuke a Berlin newspaper which called former Premier Baldwin a "guttersnipe," the German Ambassador and all the German press representatives in London were ordered by their government to boycott that Foreign Press Association banquet.

The gesture constituted a sorry display of bad manners. But the greater significance of the incident lies in its additional evidence of the aggressive attitude of totalitarian states toward the whole conception of freedom of expression.

A companion piece from Italy is the action taken by the Rome government in prohibiting Italian newspapermen from writing for foreign newspapers. Less dramatic than the Nazi gesture, this move by the Fascist regime looks in the same general direction. Both imply that the totalitarian states regard it as entirely appropriate to make their press condemn other people, while shutting off all condemnation from outside so far as in their power lies. This, of course, is the psychology of a nation at war.

This psychology of war does not, as yet, involve any armed conflict or even a break in diplomatic relations. But it does involve offensive and defensive action of the kind which, in the past, has been associated with actual war-making.

At home, the dictators have, from the first moment they took office, been at war with democratic concepts, democratic institutions, democratic liberties. They have destroyed freedom of speech, freedom of the press, freedom of assemblage and have laid their hands on religious liberty as well. But they have not stopped with action confined to the borders of their own lands. Communism has always been, fascism has to an increasing degree become, an article of export.

In their propagandist efforts the dictators have done all in their power to paint a rosy picture of the state of affairs in the countries over which they rule. But to convince foreigners of this is much harder than to convince those at home who because of a rigorous censorship are deprived of all means of comparison with what is happening in other lands.

So it happens that a government-controlled newspaper in Germany can call Earl Baldwin a "guttersnipe," but will not allow its correspondents to attend, much less report, a dinner where the present British Prime Minister expresses distress over this gratuitous insult to his former chief.

It is not surprising that, with the best will in the world, Mr. Chamberlain finds his policy of appeasement beset with ever-mounting obstacles. To make real peace with those who behave as though they were at war is a labor which would have staggered Hercules.

Preventing Delinquency

In an address before a group of students at American University who are attempting to organize a Junior League of Women Voters, Judge Fay Bentley raised some interesting points regarding the prevention of juvenile delinquency.

She holds that lack of community interest is chiefly responsible for failure to make the adjustments required to save a child from becoming a criminal. "Preventive equipment" in the form of social agencies and workers, it is her belief, could easily cope with the problem of juvenile delinquency by making contacts with homes, courts and clinics. The schools, too, are in an exceptionally good position to offer guidance in this work of salvage.

Yet even if needed adjustments are comparatively easy to effect, time and labor on the part of those trained for this special work as well as additional funds are essential to successful achievement. Unless the public understands the value to society of such preventive work, the facilities for doing it will not be made available.

In the voteless District of Columbia, the League of Women Voters must necessarily concentrate its efforts upon acquainting its membership with problems that are not concerned directly with politics or parties. Opportunities are afforded for acquiring first hand knowledge of the operations of various public and private agencies engaged in ministering to community needs. Problems such as those connected with juvenile delinquency in all its phases are among those that must engage the interests of its members. The projected Junior League may find a suitable and rewarding task, therefore, in concentrating upon a study of ways in which to reduce juvenile delinquency.

Public concern about juvenile delinquents and their treatment has already been aroused. The work of stimulating interest in prevention of delinquency through elimination of its causes should prove to be especially constructive.

Broken Ground

Today the ground in Potomac Park will be broken for the Jefferson Memorial. Thus it is now but a matter of time until that much and bitterly criticized enterprise will become an accomplished fact. Further protestation, therefore, would be as pointless and inappropriate as the protestants have believed the monument itself to be. For good or bad, the responsibility now rests with the Congress which voted the funds, with the Fine Arts Commission which gave its reluctant consent, and with the President whose recent statement removed the final possibility of appeal.

In its closing weeks, and especially after public realization that the project involves extensive remodeling of the Tidal Basin, the controversy took on a slight tinge of hysteria. Much emphasis was placed upon the cherry trees and on the quantities of stone and cement involved. There was some disposition to impugn the motives of those by whom the project was conceived.

With such accusations The Post has had no sympathy. In all the opposition expressed in these columns, the motives of the sponsors of the memorial were never in question, though it is of course proverbial of more places than Washington that the noblest of intentions have often caused stones to be placed where it was better not to place them.

Nor did we consider the fate of some of the cherry trees a very important element in the dispute. The salient criticism is that the intrusion into Potomac Park of a ponderous neo-classic pantheon, having no architectural affinity with the other points on its axis, or with the personality of the man whose memory it was intended to honor, cannot be justified on esthetic grounds. For such a costly experiment the sacrifice of the present aspect of the Tidal Basin, and the protracted demolition which will soon be all but evident, has seemed and still seems a sorry exchange.

But now that nothing can prevent the consummation of that exchange it only remains to hope, with all good will and good grace, that our fears will prove to have been exaggerated. After all, ultimate judgment in the matter will rest neither with those who fought the memorial project nor with those who favored it but with the posterity that will inherit it. May they admire the Jefferson Memorial more than we fear will prove the case.

Money For Playgrounds

No argument is needed to show the wisdom of buying up vacant land within the District urgently needed for playground and recreational purposes before it is put to other use. Considering the rapid growth of Washington during recent years, it is surprising that officials have not taken greater advantage of the funds made available for this purpose through the Capper-Cramton act.

From the viewpoint of general principle, therefore, the new land-acquisition plan announced by the National Capital Park and Planning Commission should have a sympathetic hearing. It asks for $2,000,000 to be spent on 29 different playground, park and other recreational projects. In all but five cases project sites would be completed by this program and their development could be properly considered.

Before these proposed outlays are approved by the District Commissioners, however, they may properly undergo close scrutiny from two viewpoints. The Commissioners will want to know whether each project will serve a real community need, and whether purchase now is necessary to prevent development of the property for other purposes. When these tests are applied, they may result in a substantial trimming of the program outlined by the Park and Planning Commission.

If a trimming is found to be desirable, there will be little question as to where the knife should be most vigorously wielded. Washington is fairly well supplied with parks. Its playgrounds are far less extensive. In some congested areas the need for more play space is urgent, as indicated by the large number of children killed while playing in the streets last summer. By all means emphasis should first be placed on playground sites in those areas where facilities are now lacking.

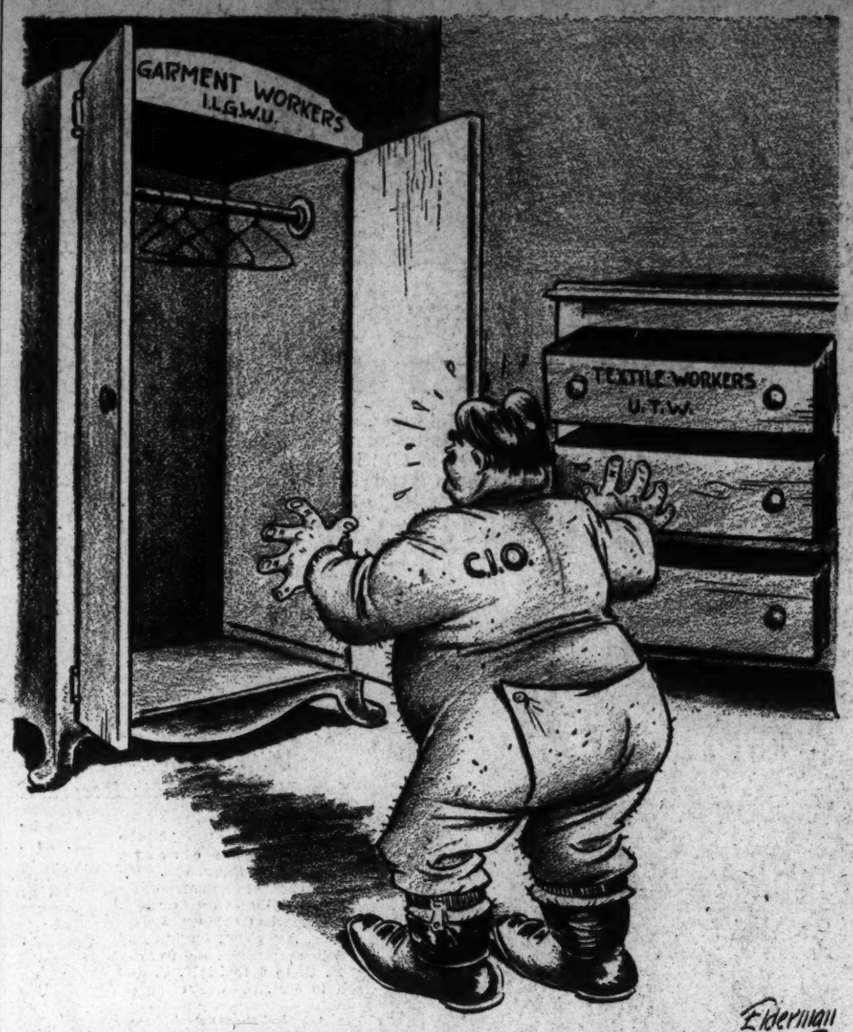
Fortunately the Commissioners can approve a land-acquisition plan of this sort without upsetting the budget they have already prepared. Under the Capper-Cramton act funds for this purpose are lent by the Treasury and paid back in annual installments. A payment of $300,000 has already been included in the budget, and an increase in the relatively small loan now outstanding could be made without increasing that annual obligation.

"Why don't you say something funny about the current women's hats?" taunts a reader. Shucks, we don't have to.

A doctor says whisky is good for insomnia. What has insomnia got to do with it?

The only fun one gets out of serving on a jury is hearing a lawyer try to cross-examine a woman witness.

Clothes Make The Man



Letters to the Editor

All communications must carry the writer's name and address, though pen names are permitted at the Editor's discretion. In fairness to other correspondents brevity is requested. Letters are subject to condensation.

Some Misgivings

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I agree with the letter of Mr. A. J. Hall, president of the National Americanism Foundation, in which he criticized the results of the Gallup Poll, published in The Post last Sunday, in which the headlines stated that 83 per cent of Americans interviewed would favor the Soviet in a war. But Mr. Hall evidently failed to notice a small paragraph halfway down the article in which it said that almost one-third of the people interviewed declined to state a preference. Thus, the percentage that would favor the Soviet is reduced to 0.67x83 or 55.6 per cent. But even this percentage is alarming when we consider what a horrible form of government exists in Russia.

Only recently I attended a lecture on the subject "Is the Continuance of Democracy Psychologically Possible?" The answer was gloomy to one who had 12 ancestors in the American armies in the Revolution. When we consider that, as shown in the draft of 1917-1918, fully 60 per cent of Americans have no better than 14-year-old mentality; that the "melting pot" is not melting because of the unassimilable elements in our population, with alien views and interests; that the same elements that are causing the decay of democracy in France are working unhindered in this country, as voiced a few days ago by Gen. Moseley; that the people are so greatly misinformed by biased propaganda in the newspapers, over the radio, and in the movies, due to inhibition of many facts by special interests; and that persons now in high position would hamstring the investigations by the Dies committee, one wonders whether the decay of democracy in the United States is not already in progress, but probably not quite as advanced as in France.

It would seem that the farther away we get from the time that our ancestors had to fight for American ideals the less do our people value those ideals. A conservative is one who holds to what he has until he finds something better to take its place. He is vastly different from a reactionary. One should be proud to be a conservative in the proper meaning of that word, at the same time carefully considering new ideas for possible improvements but with a high propaganda resistance. Communism would throw away the advantages that we have developed through the centuries without the assurance of something better in place of them.

100 PER CENT AMERICAN.
Arlington, Va., Dec. 14.

Parking Restrictions

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: What do Washingtonians propose to do relative to increasing restriction of parking space here in the District? Every few days or so I pick up the paper to read of additional restrictions.

Soon there will be no place to park excepting for those who create these stringent rules and who are not forced to answer to a voting group of citizens.

If I read of further curtailment of park space, I propose either to sell or put my car up and walk. Added to this the painting of these white lines at street corners has not been carried out in accordance with the law which calls for 20 feet from the building line.

It seems as if paint brushes and paint were handed the painters of these lines with instructions that they go out and use up paint. There certainly was no effort made to carry out the provisions of the law which calls clearly for 20 feet. Many of these white lines are over 30 feet from the building line by actual measurement. This clearly invalidates the whole line in accordance with the provisions of the law. Is there any wonder that there exists today a growing disrespect for law when those in authority who create and execute the law fail to do so with equity and justice? This is just another weak link in an effort to preserve our democracy. I again ask, what do Washingtonians propose to do? G. F. M.

Washington, Dec 10.

The Stove Leaguer

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Since Pop Anson wore knee breeches, the Washington Ball Club has strained its binoculars in search of a hard right-hand-hitting outfielder—until it went in for trying to land pitchers. The nearest they came to landing one was Sheriff Dave Harris, until they grabbed Al Simmons, who has several good years left in him.

Then they landed Zeke Bonura. All last winter Bonura propaganda filled the air. A high pitch of expectation was worked up in the fans, which expectation has now been transferred to Giant rooters, while locals leer cynically.

Now it is true that Zeke's fielding has something of the rich aroma of burnt Roquefort en casserole but his mace beat a symphonic tattoo after he shook off that slump. As for Al, along with Buddy Myer, he played the best ball on the club—the winning type of ball. And set an all-time Washington homer record.

After being "rode ragged" all year by various sets of loud-mouthed babies—the type that bray motor horns and sing soprano after two drinks—he flared up and told them a few. Who blames him? This was declared not nice. They say Washington, its tender sensibilities affronted, has soured on him and he must go. Perhaps the club and a few knockers have, not the turnstile picaroons. The club could do worse than keep him till somebody better shows up. Of course West could play a swell left in his slowing years unless he too is ticketed. And Johnny Stone——

At any rate the club has banished 45 home runs by winter trades, if Al goes.

Just what does the ball club want? Is it closing the old men's home to open a "Youth Be Served" resort? Is Griff out to retrieve his shattered rep as baseball's David Harum? What if anything is the club's policy? Or does it matter?

STOVE LEAGUE STEVE.
Washington, Dec. 13.

The Memorial

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Another bleak, impersonal marble monument will greet our visitors, not the festive, soft pink beauty of a cherry blossom. Our beautiful city will soon have the appearance of an old-fashioned living room, cluttered with useless objects. The most ludicrous thing of all is that the monument will be erected in honor of Thomas Jefferson.

Have you ever visited Monticello? Certainly the persons who conceived such an encroachment on the rights of our cherry trees never did. The man who desired everything to be utilitarian as well as beautiful, who possessed the most versatile and creative mind of all his time, would certainly be chagrined to discover that he, a man with a heart and a sense of humor, was to be immortalized by a cold marble monument.

They aren't preserving Jefferson's memory; they are mocking it by flagrant misrepresentation!

JUNE E. WILCOXON.
Bethesda, Md., Dec. 12.

The Eden Speech

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Someone has said that the American audience is on tenterhooks to burst into laughter. Nothing can defeat the average audience of its cheerless guffaw. Is this limited to our ordinary run of movie audience?

The recent dinner of N. A. M. at which Mr. Eden was guest speaker consisted of a program, part of which was given to the public by radio broadcast. The A. P. reported: "He (Eden) stood on a tiered platform on which sat virtually every leader of American business."

Mr. Prentiss spoke, all too rapidly, and set forth a splendid set of articles of faith. It exposed thought of highest quality phrased with greatest skill. Whether self-concocted or manufactured in a publicity laboratory it expressed a very high order of intelligence. Then, Mr. Eden was introduced. Quite properly he began his remarks rather nervously. The press report continues: "'I want to emphasize,' Eden continued, 'that this visit has no political significance whatsoever.'" Two spontaneous bursts of laughter came from the audience.

This listener-in felt that Mr. Eden was so thoroughly astonished as to be momentarily stunned by this outburst. He had uttered no joke, yet "every leader of American business" burst into this guffaw. Psychologically interpreted, of course, it merely meant to convey to the speaker sense about as follows: Come, come, Mr. Eden, you're O. K., but we insist on our right to assure each other how alertly smart we are in detecting that you are a plain, common liar and that we're on to you.

The Post's pleasantry, December 12, should be inculcated seriously. It said, "There are times when one wonders if our national bird shouldn't be the cuckoo instead of the eagle." A. F. T.

Washington, Dec. 12.

Appreciation

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: We were delighted to see the full page of pictures on "Better Babies" in the rotogravure section, Sunday, December 11.

Let me express the appreciation of the entire staff for this splendid arrangement of photographs. I, personally, think it is one of the finest collections I have seen.

Thank you for all of your contributions to health education through the medium of The Post.

MELVIN PRICE ISAMINGER,
Director, Bureau of Public Health Instruction.
Washington, Dec. 13.

Hour Of Decision

The time has come when democracies must face the ugly truth that if the mad career of Hitlerism is left unchecked there is no real security for any of us. As Alexander the Great declared that the heavens could not support two suns, nor the world two kings, it is time for us of the Western world to realize that there is no room in the twentieth century for both fascism and democracy—that either one must go or the other. It was the belief of the incomparable Burke, and a sentiment which I whole-heartedly share that "when bad men combine, the good must associate; else they will fall one by one, an unpitied sacrifice in a contemptible struggle."

GUY KIMBELL HORTON.
Washington, Nov. 16.

The Post Impressionist

Third-Stringer

THERE HAS NEVER been a single individual, in my memory, who could put the fear of God in me more than Knute Rockne. It was the sort of fear that closed in around the head like a vapor, played tricks with the nape of the neck, filtered into the nostrils and throat and made swallowing extremely difficult. But I have often supposed, since my association with "Rock" that one of the incidental essentials of a good football coach is that he be able to put the fear of God into the hearts of "third-string" guards as well as all-American guards.

I was a third-string guard on one of "Rock's" widely touted squads. I made several trips and on two noteworthy occasions even entered games, but I have always suspected that "Rock" shuttled me into those games merely so I would be able to tell my grandchildren that I once played football for Notre Dame. That belief was strengthened by the fact that when I was inserted into the games to battle my all, the team had already accumulated a more than comfortable margin of touchdowns.

"Rock's" whimsy made itself evident in myriad form. The man was at once a subtle mixture of mockery and kindliness, and whenever he felt that an occasion called for the administration of either of those elements he was quick to do so.

I remember one dreary, rainy afternoon the squad happened to be working out in the gymnasium because of a muddy practice field. On occasions such as that the work-out was known as "dummy scrimmage." Pairs of teams were pitted against one another, one on the offensive and the other on the defensive. The practice is still adhered to. The team in possession of the ball runs through its plays against only passive resistance.

I was playing at left guard at the time on one of the offensive teams and, in executing a certain play in which the guard happened to be an especially important cog, suddenly something went wrong. What it was is incidental to this story. "Rock" called a halt immediately and fired a question on the open air, paused while he allowed it to hover for a split moment and then barked out my name for an answer. As I have indicated previously, just the man's voice could set me spinning, physically as well as mentally. The blood began rushing to my head and I started to babble something approximating the proper response, but "Rock" broke in, "Now, look here, Christy; now, look! Just calm down, take it easy, keep cool and think over that question!" He had softened his voice a little. Immediately I could feel the fear draining out of me and in a breath afterward I answered his question. Play was then resumed.

I could have loved the man for that kindly bit of whimsy in putting over his point.

One other time we were in actual scrimmage on the practice field. The team on which I was playing was in possession of the ball and the quarterback had called an off-tackle thrust to the left. The backs shifted, the ball was snapped back and Christianson pulled out of his own line to get in the interference. The back carrying the ball made a gain of some 20 yards. In the interference I had gone through into the enemy's secondary and blocked out the opposing fullback, but had sustained a mighty crack on the head, one of those instances during which it feels and sounds as though a thousand draft horses are bickering to decide which one will trample you first.

The next thing I heard was that staccato voice of "Rock's" telegraphing across the field, "Just a minute, just a minute; I want to give credit for that play to Christianson;" then, turning to me, he barked, "Good work, Christy."

Then and there my cup overflowed. All the association I've had with "Rock" hinges on that one moment, which more than compensated for all the rainy evenings, the cold, the mud, the wrenched fingers, the barked noses, shins and knuckles; in fact, all the hard-driving business of football at Notre Dame.

CARL G. CHRISTIANSON.

Hamburger—Hear! Hear!

When historians review the fourth decade of this whizzing century and they come to the question, "Who saved the British Empire?" what will the answer be? Stanley Baldwin will possibly poll a sizable vote. Neville Chamberlain will doubtless get a nod. If there's a Gibbon in that future crowd, the romantic Edward's knightly abdication will be sumptuously staged in the golden tapestries of royal metaphor, and for the lady of that palpitant hour a rich, saluting carpet will be laid. If among the annalists there be an heir to Macaulay's mantle, the reader will have a week-end at Cliveden and will listen, in a medley of emotions, to the teacup patter of Nancy and Muriel and their attentive foreign courtiers, while the linnets cease to sing and the very stones of England are all but moved to rise and mutiny.

But there will be a realist in the learned company, a cosmopolitan, say, with Guedalla's imagination and Chesterfield's intellectual integrity, who, breaking away from the traditional, will assert, and prove, that the American hamburger retrieved the English from the oblivion for which they were dyspeptically headed.

That illustrious artist that incomparable French chef, Emile Aymoz, had been telling things to the British. He has told them about our hamburger, what a joyous incantation it is. Taking a cue from his experience in this country, he has urged the English to establish a chair in gastronomy at Oxford or Cambridge for research in cuisine, and the training of cooks. To what purpose? That England may be redeemed from the blasphemy of mutton pie.

With hamburger as the English national dish, and the hot dog supplanting the superannuated lion, Britons, says M. Aymoz, never will be slaves.

(St. Louis Post-Dispatch.)

Fair Enough

By Westbrook Pegler

Father Coughlin

AS TO FATHER Coughlin's own political traits it may be recalled that in the 1936 Presidential election campaign he aspired to the leadership of a great force, without form or organization, which would dominate the Government of the United States. He was to be the leader of this force, a title which is the American equivalent of the Italian Duce and the German Fuehrer, without advisers or democratic machinery. He points out to this following that Presidents of the United States often are obedient to the desires of those who put them in office—a true and harmless observation of itself but one of special interest as it came from him. He apparently meant that if his force acquired sufficient strength he, as sole spokesman and unquestioned boss of the group, would be the one to communicate the wishes which the President was desired to obey.

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Inasmuch as there was no compulsion to consult his following about their desires, no provision to check Father Coughlin's interpretation of them, he was to be the infallible spokesman of those who put the President in office, and in the fulfillment of that plan the boss of the American President.

THIS WAS THE CAMPAIGN in which Father Coughlin called President Roosevelt a liar and double-crosser and spoke ominously of a resort to bullets instead of ballots. He is not often explicit, but his utterances suggested that if he achieved full power he would communicate to the President a popular desire that this country make war on Mexico.

In the course of the excitement Father Coughlin's superior, Bishop Gallagher, remarked that the voice of Father Coughlin was the voice of God, but the good priest of the Shrine of the Little Flower did not trade on this indorsement.

Father Coughlin's position on the question of freedom of speech, which recently has been agitated on its own behalf, was suggested by an incident during the Cleveland convention of the Old Folks' Party. There Gomer Smith, of Oklahoma, was read out of the party for defending President Roosevelt against remarks by Father Coughlin which Mr. Smith regarded as insults to the President.

AND IN HIS DISCUSSION of labor organization, although he was vague, as he often is, Father Coughlin favors something like the Fascist labor front, to be controlled by the Government and operated by the Department of Labor. Ostensibly such an organization would give labor a hand in the Government, but in Italy and Germany the effect has been to deliver labor into the control of one man, and if Father Coughlin were to become the President's boss in the United States the position of labor in the Government was something to be seriously pondered.

The Government was to take over the duty of bargaining collectively for labor but, having driven bargains for labor, would require labor to keep the bargains. It was not made clear in just what circumstances Father Coughlin would favor a resort to bullets instead of ballots, but it seemed prudent to consider whether he would see justification for such a direct action in the event that some labor group refused to be bound by a Government bargain on its behalf, particularly if it could be shouted up over the air from the Shrine of the Little Flower that the refusal was rebellion against the authority of the Government and was led by atheistic communists.

THE SHAPELESSNESS, the lack of checks on the decisions and policies of the leader of the Coughlin force in politics, would have conferred on him unquestionable authority to speak for the American people, the minority excepted. The minority, presumably, would have had to accept the will of the majority, embodied in one man—Father Coughlin. And always there would be the question whether disobedience by a President to the desires of those who put him in office, as construed by a single individual claiming sole authority to speak for them, would be regarded as the final failure of the ballot.

Although Father Coughlin has denounced those whom he called the money changers, he himself has never discussed financial affairs in which he has been concerned. His method is to attack always, and a great taboo has hampered inquiry into the activities and serious examination of the political proposals of the one who clothes himself in an immunity intended only for purely religious institutions.

Mussolini and Hitler found it effective to attack constantly, using half truths, myths and complete vicious lies and not bothering to back-track and explain, apologize or admit honest error. They preferred to outclamor those who challenged them in the name of justice, honesty and fact. In their countries it worked.

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D. C. Tax Advisers Still Can't Agree

The District Tax Advisory Committee met for three hours yesterday in what was scheduled as a final meeting without reaching an agreement on the local tax program, and recessed until tomorrow afternoon.

While members were bound to secrecy, it was learned that sponsors of the combination income-sales tax still hoped for unanimous support of the plan. A few members are holding out for a graduated income tax without a sales tax.

Doings In The Dark

There are countless small sidelights on the Stygian darkness which has enveloped Tokyo during night air-raid alarm drills. Most, of course, will never be recorded and some, no doubt, are better untold. But the police recount a few which will give an idea. For instance, there was the problem of six tea rooms whose waitresses co-operated thoroughly, even eagerly, with the lights out warnings. The police morals squad felt it necessary to admonish these waitresses not to be so zealous in their light control co-operation.

From the Japan Advertiser, Tokyo. Reprinted from Living Age.

Monopoly Inquiry Reveals Glass Trade Price Practices

Bottle Company Heads Tell Committee Big Firms Set Cost to Buyers and Others Follow; Borah Criticizes Methods

By Robert C. Allright.

Price leadership practices in the glass container industry, with big companies in each field setting milk, beer, soda and other bottle prices and the rest following that lead, yesterday were read into the record of the President's monopoly committee.

The price data, called the chief stake of the committee in the inquiry, followed charges by Assistant Attorney General Thurman Arnold that use of patent and licensing powers combined with "ganging up" litigation has restricted competition in the industry.

Both Harrison J. McNash, president of Hazel-Atlas Glass Co., and William E. Lewis, head of the Owens-Illinois Glass Co., denied efforts to influence prices but officials of both concerns told how largest producers of each commodity generally take the price lead.

"Way to Fix Prices"

"That's just a way to fix prices," charged Senator Borah (Republican), of Idaho, after Levis testified that Owens-Illinois follows competitors' prices in some lines and takes the lead in others.

Hugh Cox, Justice Department attorney, read into the record an answer to a questionnaire filled out by William H. McClure, vice president of Hazel-Atlas. Replies of the witness showed that his concern generally initiates prices in the wide-mouth container field, Thatcher Glass Co., established the lead for milk bottles; Ball Brothers Co., for fruit jars, and Owens-Illinois for beer and some other containers.

Stresses Durability

Levis told the committee that Owens-Illinois, largest container manufacturer, changes prices on milk bottle in line with those charged by the Thatcher Co., largest single producer of milk-bottles, "because they are leaders and we are not going to take any less."

But he insisted that other competitive factors, not only in the glass industry, but in the rival lines of can containers and paper bottles, prices generally are now so low that they are not a substantial factor in the trade. The important thing, he said, is durability for reuse. Levis said milk bottles make an average of 31 trips, according to Agriculture Department estimates, reducing their cost to one-tenth of a cent per bottle.

When Levis concluded, he thanked the committee for having been "awfully nice to us and awfully fair."

Challenges "Assumption"

Arnold shot back that Levis had an "erroneous assumption" of the basis on which questions were asked.

"There is certainly nothing serious developed involving you personally in any violation of the law," said Arnold. "That is perfectly true. That wasn't the purpose.

"But it does seem to me—and I wonder if it doesn't seem to you—that there is a power over the glass business developed through this holding of patents, through the power to refuse licenses, through the desire to stabilize the industry and through (I don't use the word in an offensive sense) the ganging up of these companies on infringement suits, which does not create what a person would call a competitive situation."

"If these fellows would tell you the facts," Levis replied, "they think I am the greatest opponent to that power in the industry."

On Same Side

"We might be on the same side, Mr. Levis," said Arnold.

"I think we are," Levis replied.

"And you would like to give up that power," Arnold continued.

"I have given it up—in 1935, when licensing contract with the Hartford Empire Co. expired," said the witness.

"And, as a matter of social policy, do you think it would be a good thing if Hartford Empire would do so?"

"I can't answer that."

Chairman O'Mahoney interposed that "there is no question of moral turpitude involved here, and I really hope that you never entertained the belief that there was." O'Mahoney said the committee was "merely trying to discover whether or not there exists, as a result of the patent law, the power to control prices of glassware in this country."

'Red Tape' Blamed For Slow Slum Work Progress

"Red tape" involved in getting applications for funds through the United States Housing Authority was blamed by John Ihlder, executive officer of the District Alley Dwelling Authority, last night for stalling the Capital's slum clearance program.

In a speech before a meeting of the League of Women Shoppers at the Friends Meeting House, he refuted critics of the District's program who have contended dwellings are too expensive for lower income groups by citing that six out of each 100 tenants now being served by completed units of the ADA are on relief.

Catherine Bauer, of the USHA research division, another speaker, said the authority is reaching the housing needs of the "lower third" of the Nation's citizens and private industry the upper third. The middle third, she said, remains a "challenge to private industry."

Mrs. Alvin J. Rockwell was elected to represent the league on the organization committee of the national league, and Mrs. Robert Huse, chairman of the minimum wage committee.

Poland Reneges on Debt

The government of Poland advised the State Department yesterday that it would be unable to pay $5,628,039.71 due today as a semi-annual installment on its war debts.

Tydings Spent $2,500 For Senate Re-election

By the Associated Press.

Senator Tydings (Democrat), of Maryland, reported to the Secretary of the Senate yesterday he spent $2,500 in his successful campaign for re-election. He said he had received contributions of $2,100, of which $1,000 came from the Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee.

Today And Tomorrow

By Walter Lippmann

Appeasement Since Munich

SINCE MUNICH the two dictators have done the exact opposite of what the supporters of Mr. Chamberlain and M. Daladier might reasonably have expected. If we could understand this, if we could see why Hitler is making things so difficult for Mr. Chamberlain and why Mussolini is making them so difficult for M. Daladier, we should probably have the clue to the European mystery.

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The theory of Munich was that Hitler would be appeased by a free hand in eastern Europe and a resounding victory of prestige. It might then have been supposed that he would do everything he could to strengthen the position of Mr. Chamberlain inside Great Britain. By a conciliatory attitude toward the western democracies Hitler might well have confounded the critics of Munich and he might have created a sufficient appearance of security to slow up rearmament and to dampen down the movement toward national union through a patriotic awakening. It would have been very difficult indeed for men like Mr. Eden and Mr. Churchill to make much headway if Hitler had chosen to refrain from annoying the British while he proceeded with the conquest of eastern Europe.

BUT SINCE the very first week after Munich, and since then with ever-increasing intensity, the Nazis have been provoking the British, and the Italian Fascists have been provoking the French. Had they set out to convince the two democracies that the policy of appeasement will not work, they would have done just about what they have actually done. Thus Hitler began by serving notice on the British people that he reserved the right to interfere in their internal politics; he named the British statesmen whom he did not wish to see included in any British government. This was followed by the assertion that in principle Hitler laid claim to the return of all the former German colonies, an assertion which plants the seeds of doubt, of agitation, and of unrest at strategic points all over Africa. This was accompanied by open incitement in the Nazi press of the Arab rebellion against the British position in the Near East.

THIS WAS FOLLOWED by the limitless cruelty of the Jewish persecutions and by semi-official indications, accompanied by sporadic mob action, that a persecution of the Catholic Church was developing; the spectacle has served to show how much mercy any people may expect if it falls defenseless under Nazi domination. This was followed by virulent attacks not only on the critics of Munich but on Lord Baldwin, who supported the Munich accord. And this was accompanied by the organized demonstration in Italy demanding the dismemberment of France and what amounts to Italian domination of the Mediterranean Sea.

For the possession of Tunis, Corsica, and the Balearic Islands would destroy British and French communications with their empires, and the granting of belligerent rights to Gen. Franco would, because Gen. Franco has no effective navy, in fact be the granting of belligerent rights to Mussolini to stop and to search all British and French shipping that ventured within range of the Spanish coast.

WHAT IS ONE to make of this reply to the policy of appeasement? Is one to suppose that these acts which provoke and arouse rather than conciliate and lull British and French opinion are a deliberate policy, intelligently calculated, or that they reflect uncontrollable forces within the German and Italian revolutions? We know from the Russian revolution that internal tension can reach a point where the ruling faction is compelled to do things that destroy its own capacity to carry on its own foreign policy. Thus Stalin has had to destroy the effectiveness of the Russian army in European affairs because he has had to kill off the opposition which threatened his power at home. Russia is an example, therefore, of how a revolution can be driven upon a contradictory course.

THE QUESTION is whether something of the same nature has been happening in Germany and in Italy, whether in answering the Chamberlain-Daladier policy of appeasement with a program of provocation, the dictators are furthering their imperial ambitions or are obeying their revolutionary necessities. The question is not an easy one to answer, and no conclusion can at this time be proved. But my impression, for what is is worth, is that for the time being the two impulses coincide—that it is at once good policy to provoke the British and French and that it is at the same time an internal necessity.

For though it sounds reasonable enough to say that Munich should have followed by sedatives administered to Britain and France, the fact is that a period of quiet on the western front would have been contrary to the rules of warfare which these conquerors understand so well. When you have inflicted a defeat on your adversary, the rule is to give him no time to recover but to press on until you have turned his defeat into a rout.

NOW THE GREAT enterprise of a pan-German empire in eastern Europe cannot be undertaken as long as the British and French are formidable in its rear. Germany had just such an empire as she now desires when Russia surrendered at Brest-Litovsk in 1917. But that empire collapsed when Germany was defeated on the western front. So the Anglo-French power must be Hitler's primary concern, and his problem is how to disintegrate and immobilize that power.

TO LET Mr. Chamberlain and M. Daladier alone does not solve the problem. For though their critics at home think them weak, Hitler must realize that they are patriots and that, however slowly, they will nevertheless surely seek to strengthen their countries. As time goes on the national spirit is bound to assert itself in both nations.

Therefore, there is much to be said for compelling the British and French, who are now divided and distracted, to face the issue before they are ready to face it. Today there is still a wide divergence between the views of Mr. Eden and Mr. Chamberlain. But as time goes on the gap is closing. If the opposing parties in England could be provoked into an election campaign before the gap is closed, the election speeches and commitments would widen the gap until it was perhaps an unbridgable chasm and so perpetuate that division in British opinion which immobilizes British action in Europe. If, on the other hand, the British are allowed to proceed at their own pace, they will tend to unite and in uniting become strong and effective.

SINCE DEMOCRACIES work slowly, the way to confuse them is to keep hurrying and hustling them till they are too distracted to act coherently.

BUT IF it is expedient to force the issues abroad, it is no less necessary to force the issues at home in order to keep ahead of the rhythm of revolution. In both Italy and Germany there have almost certainly been revolutions within the revolutions. In Italy the older Fascists, who were Italian nationalists in foreign affairs, have been overcome by the fall of Austria and the captivity to Germany; the controlling Fascists today maintain their position in the party and in Italy by serving Germany. If they are to succeed, they must justify themselves by spectacular successes. For the Italian nation suffered too much from the dominion of the Hapsburgs to rejoice in the presence of Hitler on their frontier. The new Fascists must press on for victories in order to make the Rome-Berlin axis palatable to the Italian nation.

AND WITHIN Germany, there has also been a revolution within the revolution. It has displaced the older army leaders, the bureaucracy, and the big-business men who are represented by Dr. Schacht. The extremists who are now in power also have to justify themselves. For the conquest of the east is a costly business and the anticipation of victory is a very different thing from the fruits of victory. The German revolution cannot move slowly and deliberately; it must move ever more rapidly, and therefore ever more ruthlessly, because when an extreme party is in power it must win all quickly or lose all inevitably.

AND, SO, there is little reason to expect that the dictators will, or that they can, help Mr. Chamberlain to make his policy of appeasement look even for a little while as if it were successful.

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The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips

Mr. Roosevelt Explains

Resentful am I of the picture
That paints me impulsive and wild;
Of poise and restraint I'm a mixture—
My nature's exceedingly mild!
No "Reds" do I choose to consort with—
And if they've consorted with me,
It's due to the fact I have sport with
The press in the highest degree.

II.

Destroyer of rich men, they call me.
And say I assail 'em each day;
Such charges as that quite appall me—
I'm fond of the rich (in a way);
They say I bust ancient traditions
And toss 'em away, one by one;
I do under certain conditions
But just in a spirit of fun!

III.

My hunger, they charge, is terrific—
For breakfast: One grilled millionaire!
The truth is, I'm not specific—
(If boiled or just fried, I don't care);
They say that I love frizzled Tories
Or plutocrats served a la king;
But these are ridiculous stories,
Believe me, they don't mean a thing.

IV

An ogre is how some folks paint me—
A caller of tough and harsh names;
I wish that such folks would acquaint me
With facts in support of such claims.
Some say I'm a wild, warlike fellow
Who spoils to get into a fight;
I really am peaceful and mellow,
Gay-hearted, good-natured and light.

V

Of capitalists I'm no hater—
I'd not put 'em all on the shelf;
Of them I'm no unrestrained baiter,
In fact, I'm of that type myself.
For raw meat I have no mad craving,
I eat very much as you do;
When I am quite finished with shaving
I merely remark, "Scramble two!"

L'Envoi

Away, then, with all false impressions!
For truth all America begs;
I stand for (beyond any question)
Peace, progress and well scrambled eggs!

Or It Works Overtime

The President at Chapel Hill said we live in an era of acceleration, and to a good many people it looks as if the accelerator were jammed.

Mr. Roosevelt scoffs at the idea he "breakfasts on grilled millionaires." No good judge of groceries ever accused him of that. There isn't enough meat on a millionaire to make a breakfast.

Barry Mines says that the billiard table people, starting a radio hour, will have as a theme song, "Carom Me Back to Ol' Virginny."

Reaction

Corsica, Nice, Savoy, Tunisia—
Duce, I hope they won't appease ya!

Maurice Winograd.

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Off the Record

By Ed Reed

"You'd better rent a beard, too, Tucker! I'm afraid you can't raise it by Christmas!"

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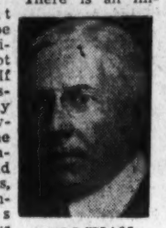
The Destiny Of WPA

By Mark Sullivan

Due For Scrap Heap?

A PERSON who has had many contacts with officials of the Administration senses a surprising development. There is an impression that WPA may be quietly liquidated and not renewed. If this impression came only from conservatives in the Administration, it would not be news, for the conservatives have always had doubts about WPA. Neither would it be important enough to record, for the conservatives count little in making Administration policy. But the present feeling about WPA is held by ardent New Dealers, including some who have much to do with New Deal policy.



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These New Dealers have come to their present feeling as a consequence of the recent election. They think WPA is a political liability. They think they may have got most of the WPA vote. But they think also that this was more than offset by the number of persons who voted against the Administration because they disapprove WPA. An analysis of the recent election returns from any of several points of view will show that this theory is correct. In the net, WPA was a political liability to the Administration.

Altogether, between those in the Administration who have concluded WPA is a political liability, and those who have always doubted this form of relief on principle, it seems as if WPA may be on the way out, destined for the same scrap heap on which rest several other New Deal experiments.

WHAT WE ARE seeing here is a demonstration, through experiment, of an unsound principle of society and government. About government and relief, the New Deal has two principles and practices. One is that the needy should be provided with adequate food, clothing and shelter—that is, direct relief in the form of money or goods. This principle is sound and will remain. The needy will be cared for.

But the principle of WPA went further. WPA said that men are entitled to work, jobs. This principle was once put in words by Mr. Harry Hopkins. I quote from memory but I think I quote correctly. In effect Mr. Hopkins said that every man is entitled to a job as a right. The point of this lies in the last three words—as a right. And by examining this point we can identify the fallacy now belatedly recognized.

If a man is entitled to a job "as a right," there must be some place where he can exercise his right. There must be some place where he can go and say, "I demand the job to which I have a right." If this place exists, where is it? It cannot be in the field of private business and industry. A man cannot go to an ordinary private employer and say, "I demand the job to which I have a right." He cannot go to a labor union and say, "I demand that you take me into the union and give me one of the jobs the union commands."

IF EVERY MAN is entitled to a job "as a right," there is only one place he can go to exercise his right. That place is government. And if government is to go on the principle that it must supply jobs to all who ask for them — then government must own all the jobs there are. Government, in short, must be communism.

Thus we are now discovering that the principle underlying WPA is a principle of the collectivist system of society—and therefore cannot work unless the whole of society is collectivist, unless all of business and industry is owned and operated by government. It cannot work in an individualist society, in which industry and business are privately owned.

If this fact is grasped, it will make many things clear. In the New Deal are several principles and practices which belong with a collectivist society. They can be made to work only if we go over to a collectivist system completely. But in the New Deal are also many other principles and practices—a large majority of all—which belong in the individualist system of society.

THESE TWO SEPARATE kinds of principles cannot work together. A society cannot be part individualist, part collectivist. The two have that resistance to mixing that was once put in words by Al Smith. In 1924 the Democrats nominated a Wall street lawyer, John W. Davis, for President, and a Nebraska progressive, Charles W. Bryan, for Vice President. Al Smith observed, "That ticket won't mix, you can't shake it together, it won't make a good cocktail."

WPA went even further than holding that every man is entitled to a job as a right. WPA has gone on the principle that a man is entitled not only to a job—but a job of the kind he likes or is good at. It was not enough to give a man a job by which he could support himself and his family. He must be given a job in the line of his training and his likes. Hence, to take care of men good at writing, WPA has conducted Federal Writers' Projects. To take care of men good at playwrighting and acting, it has conducting Federal Theater Projects. And so on through other categories.

I HAVE occasionally thought of taking advantage of this benevolent fallacy myself. I have thought of going to WPA and saying that I wanted a job in a line in which I am good and which I like. The thing I am good at is fishing. I am experienced and, if I may say so, successful. I have fished in the Atlantic and Pacific oceans, in the Gulf of Mexico and the Great Lakes and in many of the streams that lie between. I am good at fishing. But I can find no private employer willing to give me a job at it. That seems to entitle me to a job from the Government, on a Federal Fishing Project.

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Schacht In London

By Barnet Nover

Another Rabbit Out Of The Hat?

IN THE COURSE of the last few years, Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, head of the German Reichsbank, has pulled a succession of rabbits out of his hat. His extraordinary ingenuity has helped to keep the top-heavy structure of German finance and economy from collapsing under its own weight. It has not done so despite all orthodox rules, including the law of gravitation.

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But the demands of German economy are such that Dr. Schacht finds it impossible to rest on past laurels. He must go on. So once more the wizard has taken to the road to seek new hats—and new rabbits. At present he is in London with a plan to make the refugees who are desperately anxious to get out of the Third Reich the vehicle of German trade expansion.

Having brought half a million and more helpless individuals to the verge of destitution, the Nazi regime, apparently hopes to capitalize their plight—and the world's sympathy for them—to get needed foreign exchange.

THE PLAN may get nowhere. Already the mere rumors of it have stirred up protests both in Great Britain and this country, which suggest that even Dr. Schacht may pull no rabbits out of the refugee hat. But his mission to London does bring out the important fact that Germany is badly in need of more foreign exchange.

Indeed, it may not be too much to say that the exchange situation constitutes the Achilles heel of Nazi economy. For with autarchy—complete self-containment—still a far-off dream, the very expansion of German industry which has occurred during the last few years and which is still going on, has increased the demands for foreign exchange, without which purchase of essential raw materials in the free markets of the world is impossible.

SHOULD GERMANY'S exports fall off, and, by virtue of that fact, should her purchase of needed foodstuffs and essential raw materials—cotton, rubber, oil, iron ore, the ferro-alloys, etc., perforce have to be severely restricted beyond present limits, further industrial expansion would be choked off. The ascending spiral would be followed by a descending curve with its inevitable concomitant of unemployment and want.

To keep the economic machine functioning, therefore, requires a constant inflow of raw materials which can be paid for either barter fashion, by the direct exchange of goods, or through foreign exchange acquired by the sale of German commodities in free markets.

It is to this end that Dr. Schacht has directed his unquestioned talents, and thus far with very remarkable success.

THEORETICALLY, his task should today be easier than it was. Germany now includes within her borders territories which were outside the Third Reich at the time Hitler came into power.

She has repossessed the Saar with its coal mines, added Austria with her iron and timber resources, and the Sudetenland with its industries. The path to the south and east is open to her. Hungary with her wheat fields, Rumania and her oil wells, the surplus products of Yugoslavia, Greece, Turkey and shrunken Czecho-Slovakia are now within the actual or potential orbit of German economy.

But while the Drang nach Osten may pay large dividends in the future it has not yet produced economic results commensurate with its possibilities. In the meantime the political gains which the Third Reich has made involve definite, though perhaps temporary, economic liabilities.

The addition both of Austria and the Sudetenland, for instance, has increased the food shortage in Germany and may thus operate for a period to increase the drain on that nation's far from ample reserves of foreign exchange. The need of transforming the Austrian and Sudeten industries to fit them within the German system has also required a certain amount of foreign exchange, while the loss of the export industries of those areas has lost to the Reich potential sources of foreign currencies.

IT HAS BEEN estimated that if the German economic machine is to function at its present level Germany's export trade will have to be increased in value by around 2,000,000,000 marks over present levels.

Now it needs be pointed out that even before the Munich crisis, Germany took roughly about 40 per cent of all the exports of the Balkan and Danubian states and sold to them at least that percentage of their imports. The percentage may, in each case, be increased, but such increase alone will not go very far in meeting Germany's needs. There is also the factor that the other nations of the world are obviously not going to stand by and see markets in those countries taken from them without a struggle. Britain, for one, has made it clear that a vigorous effort is to be made to keep and possibly extend present British markets in southeastern and eastern Europe.

THE SAME SITUATION obtains in Latin America, where the German government has been making a great drive for trade. This drive has met with considerable success. But it has also begun to meet with growing opposition not only on the part of the Latin-American nations, some of whom have had distressing experiences with the barter system established by Dr. Schacht, but also on the part of Germany's trade rivals.

The violent language employed by the Nazi press in discussing American activities at Lima arises as much out of the fear of the economic consequences of a growing solidarity among the American republics as out of the political aspects of this movement.

Nor must it be forgotten that, as the Hull system of reciprocal trade agreements on a most-favored-nation basis is extended, the totalitarian states, with their closed economies, find themselves more and more hard-pressed. Of course, it is always open to those states to abandon their closed economies for one that is free. But if they did so they would probably also have to cease being totalitarian.

In the use of political devices to achieve their ends, the Fascist dictatorships have had easy going in their dealings with the democracies. In the economic sphere the shoe is on the other foot. And not even the best exercise of Dr. Schacht's prestidigitatory arts may alter that fact.

Claims for Mexican Losses Advised

The State Department yesterday advised all Americans whose agrarian property in Mexico has been expropriated since August 30, 1927, to file their claims against the Mexican government with the State Department immediately.

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Work on a $750,000 bus terminal here will be started before April, S. R. Sundstrom, vice president of the Greyhound Terminal of Washington, Inc., announced yesterday.

The depot which will house buses of the Pennsylvania, Richmond, Capital and Atlantic Greyhound lines, owners of the terminal corporation, will be built on the site of the old Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis Railway property, at Eleventh street and New York avenue northwest. It will occupy 32,780 square feet.

Sundstrom said that purchase of the property was completed yesterday and tenants, all of whom are on a 90-day lease, would be given notice today to vacate. The terminal will be air-conditioned. On its completion November 15, 1939, it will replace the present Greyhound station at 1403 New York avenue northwest.

Besides Sundstrom other officers of the corporation are C. S. Caesar, of Chicago, and L. C. Major, general manager.

Brokers handling the real estate transaction were Weaver Brothers, of Washington, and William Martien & Co., of Baltimore. Architects for the new property are Wischmeyer, Arrasmith & Elswick, of Louisville, Ky., and Frances P. Sullivan, of Washington.

Apprentices Sought For Navy Yards

Navy yards have received orders to enroll the largest possible number of apprentices in their training schools to eliminate a shortage in some of the highly specialized shipbuilding trades.

With the progress of shipbuilding under the naval expansion program, the Navy Department said, the number of civil employes of the Navy will be increased from 72,000 to an estimated peak of 100,000.

Omega Psi Phi Plans Benefit 'Pot-Pourri'

The Alpha Omega Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity will sponsor a "Potpourri" at the Howard Theater at 8:15 p. m. tomorrow for benefit of the library fund of Metropolitan Police Boys Club No. 2.

Other organizations participating are Alpha Kappa Alpha, Delta Sigma Theta and Zeta Phi Beta sororities, and Kappa Alpha Psi, Gamma Tau, and Phi Beta Sigma fraternities.

To Wed U. S. Attorney

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

ELEANOR WHITNEY, dancing in a show at Pittsburgh, has confirmed Hollywood reports she will be wed to Frederick Backer, 30-year-old Federal attorney in New York, "sometime in April."

WinterNowOfficial, Motorists Warned On Snow Removal

In case you hadn't already guessed it, winter is officially here—the District's snow parking ban became effective at midnight last night.

Traffic Director William A. Van Duzer warned motorists they must not park their cars on the streets between 2 a. m. and 8 a. m. because it hinders snow removal.

And in downtown sections where parking is not permitted until 9:30 a. m., the ban holds good until that hour. The "snow removal" prohibition will remain until March 15.

Jack Doyle to Wed Mexican Actress

Hollywood, Dec. 14 (AP).—Jack Doyle, the mad Irish rose, and Movita, Mexican film actress, filed notice today of intention to wed in nearby Ventura County.

Doyle is facing deportation to Ireland for illegal entry. He was supposed to have left yesterday, but a stay of undetermined length was granted on appeal.

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New Women's Penal House Is Urged

District Social Agencies Council Terms Present Building Disgrace

Completely new housing facilities for the Women's Bureau of the District of Columbia Police Department were unanimously urged yesterday by the penal reorganization committee of the Council of Social Agencies in a meeting at the Mayflower Hotel.

Wilbur LaRoe, jr., committee chairman, termed the present unit used for the House of Detention and the bureau at 1224 Fifth street northwest "disgracefully inadequate."

The new building "should be in the central area of the city, not more than ten blocks from the Police Court, for that is the area from which the greatest number of prisoners come, and because a centrally located building offers advantages from the standpoint of transportation for prisoners and police and court officers," the committee declared in adopting the report submitted by Mrs. Pearl Klein, chairman of the sub-committee on buildings for women.

Provisions Outlined

Provisions for the following features should be made in general plans for the building, Mrs. Klein's report stated:

At least 50 single rooms.

Isolation rooms for care of excited alcoholics.

Rooms for physical examinations and for medical treatment of nonhospital cases, particularly venereal infections.

Quarter s for reception, search bathing and other admission routine, arranged so as to require a minimum in personnel.

Rooms for recreation and occupational theapy.

Interviewing rooms and visitors' rooms.

Ray L. Huff, superintendent of District Penal Institutions, reported to the committee on construction progress on the new jail and additions to penal buildings.

Emmett J. Scott, chairman of the committee on parole, reported that the proposal to extend parole under indeterminate sentences as recommended in the recent penal reorganization study "is impracticable without a revolutionary change in the parole board and its facilities." Such proposed legislation should not be adopted, he said, "unless concurrently with its passage proper provision is made for increase in the parole staff to handle the increased work which would ensue."

Adequate chaplain service at Lorton was discussed by the committee, which expressed the viewpoint that additional aid along spiritual lines is needed but stressed that it "should be provided for by the church groups and not out of the public treasury."

Outlines Jersey Plan

The need for reducing the period of detention in the District was emphasized by Mr. La Roe, who outlined a plan that has been adopted in Jersey City which has had the effect of reducing delinquency by elimination of juvenile detention in jails. Detention in homes and other institutions without prison atmosphere has been substituted for the usual procedure, he reported.

First of the public forums at which all reports by various committees of the penal reorganization group will be discussed will be held during January and Mrs. Roosevelt will be asked to be a speaker, it was decided.

Fraternity Skits To Be Given to Aid Boys Club No. 2

"Pot-Pourri" a variety of skits, will be presented tomorrow night at 8:15 o'clock at the Howard Theater by the Alpha-Omega Chapter of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, and co-operating fraternities and sororities, as a benefit for the Metropolitan Police Boys Club, No. 2.

The program will include comic sketches, musical numbers and one-act plays. Prizes for the best numbers have been donated by Maj. Ernest W. Brown, superintendent of police and founder of the Metropolitan Police Boys Club, by the L. G. Balfour Co., and others.

Xi Chapter of the Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity will present "My Wife's Gone to the Country;" Alpha Chapter of the Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, "Stolen Melody;" Kappa Chapter of the Phi Beta Sigma Frarority, "Talent Show." The Alpha Kappa Alpha and Delta Sigma sororities and the Gamma Tau Fraternity will also have numbers on the program.

Proceeds will be used to augment library facilities of the Boys Club with lamps, books and periodicals. The committee in charge consists of Ben Frederick Carruthers, Bernard Coleman, R. Grayson McGuire, jr., Frederick S. Weaver, William Beverly, Arthur Jackson, Oliver Hill, Hayden Johnson, Leroy Brannic, Vincent Cephas, J. Arthur Weiseger and Alfred Scott, jr.

John H. Robb Dies; Was GPO Employe

John H. Robb, 86, of 4902 Georgia avenue northwest, for many years an employe of the Government Printing Office, died yesterday at Georgetown Hospital after a long illness.

Mr. Robb, born in Philadelphia, was a member of the Washington Council of the Knights of Columbus, Society of Oldest Inhabitants and the Printing Pressmen's Union No. 1.

Surviving are his wife, Amelia, two sons, Edward, of Washington, and John H., jr., of Scranton, Pa., and a sister, Mrs. Lydia Tenney, of Philadelphia. Funeral services will be held at the Deal funeral home, 4812 Georgia avenue northwest, at 9:30 a. m. Mass will be at St. Gabriel's Church at 10 a. m. Burial will be in Glenwood Cemetery.

Pennsylvania U. Alumni Here Celebrate Club's 50th Year

Luther Martin 3d (left), former president of the University of Pennsylvania general alumni society and a trustee, looks over a song sheet with Marcellus Wright, Richmond architect

Alumni of the University of Pennsylvania, some of whom earned their sheepskins in 1862, met last night at Brook Farm Inn to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of the University of Pennsylvania Club of Washington.

Two charter members of the club told the 120 present of its founding in 1888 at Wormley's Hotel, where the Union Trust Co. building now stands. They were Dr. J. Bartlett Hills, of Maryland, and the Rev. W. J. Thompson, of New York.

Here are two of the four living University of Pennsylvania alumni who met at Wormley's Hotel 50 years ago. They are the Rev. W. J. Thompson (left), of New York, and Dr. J. B. Hills, of Maryland

Both agreed that the cooking of Wormley, the hotel's colored proprietor, had no equal then in Washington.

Before the dinner at Brook Farm Inn, the club was received at the home of Dr. Frank Schultz, on Brookville road, in Chevy Chase. All signed a letter to Justice Owen Roberts, of the United States Supreme Court, expressing regret at the illness which prevented his attending.

William McClelland, president of the Potomac Electric Power Co., said that a university, just as a manufacturing plant, is measured by the quality of its output. Its product, he pointed out, is its alumni, and he urged his listeners to bear in mind always that their university was being measured by themselves.

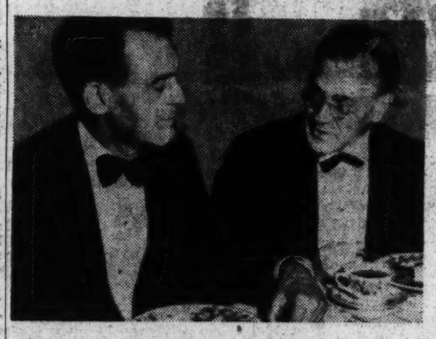
The changes of the last half-dozen years, he said, contained much of value to anyone who took pains to study them. He declared no one should be "so foolish" as to believe the world would turn back to its "old ways" and that when the chaff is blown away, present policies in the United States would yield a great deal of valuable grain.

Dr. George McClelland, vice president of the university and its new provost, made his first public appearance in the latter capacity. He also spoke briefly.

Although the functions of provost had changed considerably in the almost 200 years of the university's existence, he said, it still was a position of trust and one which he pledged himself to fill faithfully. He felt, he said, particularly the burden of responsibility in replacing Dean Josiah H. Penniman, who served the university 46 years.

One of the university's great problems, he said, was in selecting and in replacing its teachers and officers. It was a task, he said, even more important than that of selecting a wife, since a university could not rid itself of a professor because of mental cruelty or incompatibility.

Among the guests were M. Wistar Wood, secretary of the General Alumni Society; Luther Martin, former president of the General Alumni Socety, and a trustee of the university; Marcellus Wright, of Richmond, Va., past president of the Associated Pennsylvania Clubs and one of the architects of the reconstruction of Colonial Williamsburg; William W. Montgomery, former law partner of Justice Roberts; George Snyder, Washington attorney and a university trustee; Edgar Snyder, former United States marshal for the District, and Wilson B. Nairn, president of the Washington Alumni Association.



Dr. George McClelland (left), vice president of the university and newly-elected provost, is pictured with G. F. Snyder, toastmaster and a trustee of the university, at the alumni dinner last night

Greater D. C. Outlined to Trade Board

E. Capitol St., Fort Drive Development And Metropolitan Planning Urged

Board

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Marshall Finnan, superintendent of National Capital Parks, joined in urging development of East Capitol street.

Finnan said he hoped to see the 22 miles of the C. & O. Canal project from Georgetown to Seneca completed within a year. Under his direction, a motion picture of the park system was shown.

Washington Belongs to All

Nichols, who has made more than 100 trips from his home in Kansas City to work with the commission, told the board "every man, woman and child in my city looks upon Washington as his own, a city whose future is measured by the growth of the Nation."

"It's our job to plan this city of ours in keeping with the dignity of this Nation. I know we have a great hinterland stretching from coast to coast that can support and will maintain the greatest capital in the world. I believe Washington will become the model of every city in the Nation."

Pointing to the results of planning during the last 10 years in the opening of the Mall, he declared this area, with the Government triangle, was one of the greatest stabilizing factors in the city. Extension of this area beyond the Capitol to the Anacostia, he said, "is not an idle dream." Among projects planned for the Anacostia River section, at the end of East Capitol street, he said, were a stadium seating 80,000 to 100,000 and a 35-acre parade and sports ground.

Calls Capital "Lopsided"

Nichols said the unplanned development of Washington had made it "lopsided," and he urged balanced development to the east and into the southwest section. Pointing out that planning permitted great savings in buying land for future needs, he declared "the greatest effort of our commission is to save tax money and to create stable values."

Nichols said the fort drive would stabilize residential values. He said the plans for the first eight miles of this drive, in Northwest Washington, were complete, and he urged a five-year program to complete the project.

Urges Improved Approaches

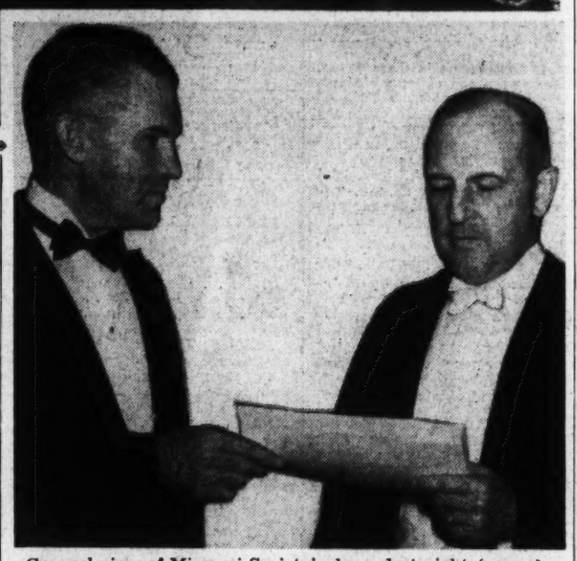
Nichols called for constant effort in improving approaches to Washington by land, air and water, and cited plans for additional routes to handle the heavy flow of traffic from Washington to the north. He said Washington should be working now to obtain land for modern highway approaches to the city.

Among guests at the meeting were Senator King, of Utah, chairman of the Senate District Committee; Commissioner McCoah, Thomas S. Settle and John Nolan, jr., of the Park and Planning Commission, and Police Superintendent Brown.

Col. Harrison Brand, jr., newly appointed executive secretary of the board, was introduced. Francis G. Addison, board president, presided. The group heard music by the Metropolitan Police Boys' Band.

(Picture on Page 28.)

Gov. Stark, Former Naval Officer, Is Awarded Life Membership in Missouri State Society Here



General view of Missouri Society's dance last night (upper). Carl Lindner Ristine (left), presents life membership to Gov. Lloyd Stark of Missouri (lower)

Gov. Lloyd C. Stark of Missouri, once an officer in the Navy, last night received an honorary lifetime membership in the Missouri State Society at its annual reception at the Shoreham Hotel. More than 300 Missourians, resident here, were present.

The certificate of membership was presented by Col. Carl Ristine, special assistant to the Attorney General and first vice president of the society. After Col. Ristine presented the certificate, the Governor was escorted to a flag draped platform by Col. A. H. Pritchett and John B. Gordon.

"It gives me great pleasure, Mr. Governor," said Col. Ristine in offering the life membership to Stark, "to present to you this token and certificate of this organization, which speaks our love and affection for you."

After a brief reply, the Governor walked to the platform and dancing began. He had stood more than an hour and a half in a receiving line.

Among Army, Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard officers and their wives in the line were Col. Ristine, Col. Pritchett, Col. and Mrs. Harold Jones, Gen. Louis Means, adjutant general of Missouri; Col. Marvin Castile, Capt. and Mrs. Alan B. Reid, Col. and Mrs. Lloyd Jones and Gen. and Mrs. Amos A. Fries.

Robber Gets $18 In 3 Ice Cream Store Holdups

A robber, striking three times in quick succession last night, obtained $18 in three ice cream store holdups.

Described as tall, thin and blond, he first held up Miss Agnes Young, 23, of 529 Fifth street northwest, clerk in High's ice cream store at Eighth and F streets northeast, and escaped with $8.

Shortly afterward, Miss Edith Campbell, of 1349 Girard street northwest, clerk in a High's store at 2930 Fourteenth street northwest, reported to police that a man answering the same description rifled the cash drawer of $5.

He struck 15 minutes later, robbing a High store at Third and Rittenhouse streets northwest of $5. The Clerk, Miss Irene Ashworth, of 2036 Pierce Mill road, told police the man escaped on foot.

Newbold Noyes Pleads for Youths

Newbold Noyes, of the Washington Evening Star, yesterday urged support for the National Probation Association, at the opening of its annual membership campaign in Washington.

Noyes, a member of the association's board of trustees, called for efficient administration of probation facilities to save young offenders from association with confirmed criminals through jail sentences.

"The National Probation Association is an organization which is doing effective work in building up and perfecting this valuable public service—saving young men and boys from a life of crime and converting them into useful members of society," he said.

Upton Man Shot

Waynesboro, Pa., Dec. 14.—Charles Hawbaker, 58, retired poultryman of Upton, west of here, is in a critical condition in the Waynesboro Hospital with a bullet wound in the head, which hospital attaches say was self-inflicted.

Check on Jail Record Held Impractical

D. C. Officials Agree Delay in Releasing Prisoners Would Not Be Wise

A special conference, held in District Attorney David A. Pine's office to tackle the problem of releasing suspects before their records can be adequately checked, ended yesterday with the decision that "the system is functioning efficiently and adequately, and it would be unwise to make any changes at the present time."

Issued jointly by Pine, three assistant district attorneys, Maj. Ernest W. Brown, superintendent of police; Inspector Bernard Thompson and Dr. James A. Nolan, director of the Criminal Justice Association, the statement suggested that it was "a bit dangerous to change the system to guard against an extremely exceptional case. After all, we have to consider the constitutional rights of the individual."

The parley grew directly out of the case of George Miller, who was arrested here on November 15 for carrying deadly weapons, posted $1,000 bond and then disappeared shortly before the Department of Justice reported that his fingerprints showed him to be an escaped Ohio convict.

Yesterday's conferees agreed that it was not feasible to hold every suspect until his complete record could be obtained. It was pointed out, for example, that at least 24 hours are normally required for the Federal Bureau of Investigation to check its fingerprints files. As the files close at midnight, increased personnel would be necessary for round-the-clock service.

Aside from the practical difficulties, it was emphasized that the constitutional rights of prisoners might be impaired by detaining them for lengthy periods of time.

Legion to Entertain Disabled Veterans

Disabled veterans at Mount Alto Hospital will be entertained tonight at 8 o'clock by the twenty-first yearly program of the Cooley McCullough Post of the American Legion. Charles Cohen, commander of the post, will direct arrangements for the twenty-first year.

Tiney Meeker will be master of ceremonies. Among the performers will be Jo King, Carl E. Brockway, Sandy Cross, Arlene King, Swanson Arnold, Ross D. Leroy, Buddy Shaner, Tubby Reeves, Elaine Seidler and Ruth Mason.

Runaway Florida Trek Ends in Falls Church; Trio Caught in Camp Waiting for Christmas

Halt When They Decide They Might Miss Festivities at Home

Post Staff Photo

Herbert F. and Mark J. Martin, 14-year-old Washington twins, and Billie Martin, 12, their "kid" brother, are shown with Sergt. A. P. Shumate after they were picked up in woods near Falls Church. They left Washington for Florida but changed their minds—and were glad for the chance to be asked to go home

Visions of warm beds and Christmas dinner at home yesterday cut short the Florida trek of three youthful adventurers who had been missing from their home here since Monday when they raided their mother's pantry, put on all the clothes they could wear and started to hitch-hike to the winter playground.

The trio was found in a clump of woods a mile from Falls Church, Va., yesterday, where they had been camping out for two days. They had only walked a few hours before suddenly realizing they were walking out on Christmas.

A hasty "council of war" revealed they had enough supplies to camp out and return home Christmas eve, so they had built a tent out of blankets they had with them.

Cold weather, however, inspired the trio—Herbert and Mark Martin, 14, twins, and their 12-year-old brother, William, to chop trees to pile around their tent. Sergt. A. T. Shumate, Falls Church policeman, heard the noises, investigated and found the boys hungrily engaged in cooking a one-course dinner of canned beans.

With little effort Shumate persuaded the boys, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Mark H. Martin, of 338 Adams street northeast, to call off their "strike"—they told him they were leaving home in protest against a "licking" for making too much noise.

"We were sort of hoping somebody would find us and make us go back home. It's sorta cold sleeping on the ground. And then, William ain't such a good cook," the three confessed. The younger had been voted "kitchen police" duty, they explained.

Noting the youngsters' bulk, Shumate examined and found Mark wearing four shirts, a leather jacket, two pairs of pants, four pairs of socks and his shoes. Herbert had on three shirts, two sweaters, a leather jacket, two pairs of pants, three pairs of socks and a pair of shoes.

William had on only a stocking cap, a straw hat, two shirts, a sweater, two pairs of pants, two pairs of stockings and a pair of shoes. His brothers explained that because he was the lightest clad he slept in the middle at night to keep warm.

"But it didn't do much good," William put in. "I want to go home and sleep."

The anxious parents, both of whom are employed in Washington, were notified, and a tearful reunion ensued in Falls Church. The boys left Monday after their parents went to work. They pooled their week's lunch money, obtained deposits on several soft drink bottles and then set out. Washington police had brpadcast a lookout for them.

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Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

The Cinema Takes on A Triple-Threat Man

Richard Carlson Is Actor-Author-Director; Belasco to Have Sacha Guitry Film Premiere; Brief Notes of the Amusement World

ALTHOUGH something was said about him in this space immediately following the slightly premature preview of "The Young in Heart" —that was a fortnight or so ago—it seems fitting to observe again that in Richard Carlson the films have secured the services of an unusual young man.

BELL

Mr. Carlson appears in the film that is to follow "The Citadel," on the screen at Loew's Palace Theater, in the role of a young Scotchman, quite understandably in love with Janet Gaynor, and he makes a very fine job of it, indeed. That, however, is only a part of the Carlson story. As I think has been previously pointed out, Mr. Carlson is a triple-threat man. But we will get to that later.

Richard Carlson, it seems, was born in the small town of Albert Lea, which is in Minnesota, if usually reliable information can be taken at face value. He was educated in Minneapolis, also in Minnesota—and we need no reference books to confirm this one—and is a graduate of the University of Minnesota. He even taught English there. It was at a professorial dinner that the idea occurred to him that he was better suited to the exciting life of the theater than to the more staid pursuits of the more rarefied halls of learning. He started his theatrical career with a Minneapolis stock company and graduated thence to the Pasadena Community Playhouse, which is no mean place to be. From there, he made the sizable sleeper-jump to New York and came to the attention of George Abbott, who placed him in one of the "Three Men on a Horse" companies.

Believe it or not, Mr. Carlson found it an easy transition from the "Horse" affair to a supporting role with Ethel Barrymore in Sidney Howard's "The Ghost of Yankee Doodle," and a similar assignment with the same star in "Whiteoaks." It was then that the David O. Selznick scouts "discovered" him and persuaded their boss to sing his name on the dotted line. Merely as an actor? Not by any means—and that is where that "triple-threat" business comes in.

The 26-year-old Mr. Carlson is articled to the cinema in three capacities—as actor, writer and director, and the studio can call upon him to function as any one of the three at any time it chooses, barring six months out for stage work. His first screen tests were so successful that he was immediately tossed into the stellar role of "The Young in Heart," as an actor of more than ordinary endowments. You will enjoy him, I am sure, as Duncan MacRae, in such fast company as is represented by Miss Gaynor, Douglas Fairbanks, jr., Roland Young, Billie Burke, Paulette Goddard and Minnie Dupree.

I still regret having been unable to journey over to Baltimore to meet Mr. Carlson when he was there recently. He seems to be quite a fellow.

Korngold to Score Muni's 'Juarez'

The Warner Brothers seem to be setting quite a store by their forthcoming production of "Juarez," starring Paul Muni in the title role. This is evidenced by the fact that the picture will be embellished by an illuminating musical score by Erich Wolfgang Korngold. And this, in turn, is given weight by the fact that it was Mr. Korngold who contributed the musical settings for such impressive productions as "A Midsummer Night's Dream," "Anthony Adverse," "The Story of Louis Pasteur" and "The Life of Emile Zola." Mr. Korngold has only to repeat.

Fresh from triumphs in its native Paris, London and a dozen other important European cities, not to mention New York, Sascha Guitry's latest film, "The Story of a Cheat" ("Le Roman d'un Tricheur"), with unique English titles, written by John Erskine, celebrated author and contriver of the silent screen play of "The Private Life of Helen of Troy" —one of the American successes of that glamorous artiste, Maria Corda, not spelled with a "K"—will have its Washington premiere in the Belasco Theater on Thursday of next week, December 22.

Written, produced, directed and acted by the dominant figure of the contemporary French stage, "The Story of a Cheat" is said to be a faithful screen transcription of Guitrys short novel of the same name, which created a bit of a stir in the literary world when it appeared three years ago. Jacqueline Delubac, the author's wife, has a commanding role—or so they say—opposite her distinguished husband.

Eastern Division Manager Carter Barron, of Loew's, Inc., never forgets to make the Yuletide season memorable for the drama desks. Despite plans to leave the Capital on Friday, December 23, to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents in Georgia, Mr. Barron has found time to send out invitations to his "annual Christmas pleasantry, when the boys and girls of Lowe's break bread with the boys and girls of the drama desks." The evening is Thursday, December 22; the place the Garbo Room at the Shoreham, for cocktails, and the dining room, later, for dinner. One of the bright spots in the lives of the drama's drudges—if that is what we are.

Princeton Triangle Club Coming

On next Wednesday night, December 21, in the Belasco Theater, the Princeton Triangle Club will present "Once Over Lightly," the musical comedy that marks the fiftieth anniversary of the organization's stage activities.

Based on a new and timely theme, "Once Over Lightly" also will embrace a sketchy resume of the high spots of all the preceding musical productions of this noted collegiate organization. Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, members of the President's Cabinet and distinguished Princeton alumni are among the sponsors of the event. More later.

Contest-Declared-a-Draw Note

As between the gibble-gabble of the matinee audience, exiting from the National yesterday evening, and the chattering starlings, that gather in the trees across the street at sunset, I should say that it was a dead heat in twittering! In the starlings, our town has something that "Our Town" hasn't—worse luck for us!

In Hollywood

With Hedda Hopper

Hollywood, Calif., Dec. 14.—I stumbled into a baby riot on the set of "You Can't Cheat an Honest Man"—some mouthful for the front of your theater. By the time I was able to roll up my sleeves, owing to the clanking bracelets, the fray was over — for the nonce. Bill Fields, who eats directors with sour cream for breakfast, thought he should play a scene one way, Director George Marshall had other ideas. It was over in a flash—they compromised—Bill won!

HEDDA HOPPER

Meantime, Charlie McCarthy benignly manages to keep Edgar Bergen unruffled. Charlie has a problem on his hands—Fields swears he'll steal a scene. But my money's on Charlie!

There are two parts that Wayne Morris wants to play—Leif Erickson, who discovered America 400 years before Columbus was born, and the title role in a remake of "The Patent Leather Kid." First time I ever saw Norma Shearer she was playing opposite Reggie Denny in "The Leather Pushers"—Patent's first cousin.

For the first time, Deanna Durbin is going to play a clothes horse. In "Three Smart Girls Grow Up" she even has an evening gown—which will be hard on the parents of American 16-year-olds. I can hear them now. "But Ma—Deanna's only 16, and she has a low necked evening gown! Why can't I?"

Henry Koster, her director, is grand. We've never given him much credit—anybody could direct Deanna Durbin and Dannielle Darrieux, we've said. But when he did retakes on another man's picture, the added scenes stuck out like a sore thumb. If they're not careful, Universal will find they've got another Capra on their hands.

Incidentally, the Kosters are expecting their own glamour girl by Christmas.

Loretta Young and baby Judy get six days' extra vacation in Ensenada because "Wife, Husband and Friend" was finished that many days under schedule. Director Gregory Ratoff doesn't know what to make of this unusual turn of events—waves his arms when Warner Baxter attributes the speed of production to Nunnally Johnson's fool-proof script. "And why," shouts Ratoff, "do I get a fool-proof script? Is it they're afraid I'm a dunce?"

Alice Faye and Joan Davis learned a lot about superstition while on the air picture, "Tailspin"—but let's hope not too much. The release date of the picture is Friday, January 13!

When William Anthony McGuire moved into Fred Astaire's old house he held a house warming, to which his friends brought all the food for the party. Gus Kahn and Jerome Kern brought birdseed . . . Nelson Eddy ate it.

Gracie Fields, the English star, denies she's going to learn her language the way we speak it. She said, "Wouldn't I look silly taking scenes with the English shipyards as background, and speaking with a Boston accent? Everybody knows I'm Cockney and I'm proud of it."

Constance Bennett has postponed her trip abroad. Guess why? She has the inside track on the Lady Esketh part in "The Rains Came." She'd be good, too. Then, too, there's a prominent radio official who has her eye.

The Bill Keighleys are planning a small theater in Beverly Hills, called "The Blue Book Theater." It will seat only 300—starting at 9:30 p. m., with sandwiches and coffee served. Only silents will be shown, and these will be all request programs. Seats will be $1 and $1.50. It's an old English custom.

Bligh Now Combs the Beaches!

CHARLES LAUGHTON,

vividly remembered for his intensive impersonation of Capt. Bligh in "Mutiny on the Bounty," now assumes the screen character of a scavenger of the water's edge. He is pictured above in the title role of his own production of "The Beachcomber," in which his wife, Elsa Lanchester, also appears. It will come, in due course, to a local screen

The New Yorker

By Leonard Lyons

New York, Dec. 14.

DEFEAT: John Barrymore's newest film, "The Great Man Votes," finally has been completed. On election day the RKO publicity bureau instructed Barrymore to go to the polls, in costume, to be photographed for pictures which would be used—showing just how "The Great Man Votes" . . . Barrymore obeyed—until the poll officials reminded him that he hadn't registered . . . They discovered, in fact, that John Barrymore never had voted in his life.

DEMISE: The last traces of the institution known as burlesque soon will pass into obscurity . . . The Burlesque Actors Association, mindful of the recent events in censorship, has asked the general council of its parent association, the A. A. A. A., for permission to change its name, retaining its identifying initials . . . The new name will be a Bonafide Artists Association.

GREETING: Mayor LaGuardia and Boro President Isaacs now are completing plans for an official way of welcoming visitors to N. Y. The plans will provide for the erection of a building wherein municipal information will be dispensed to strangers . . . New York thereby is investing in hospitality, on a self-liquidating basis, to be sponsored by business organizations.

ENTERPRISE: A representative of Leni Reifenstahl this week offered a New York press agent $500 a week to bring her good publicity. The publicist turned it down. He's non-Aryan . . . Louis Bromfield's next novel will have for its subject a Follies girl who winds up in Bombay . . . The Connecticut Nutmeg and the Herald Tribune are engaged in a price war for the services of Nat Benchley, son of Robert Benchley . . . Gene Mako doubles-partner of Don Budge, hasn't followed Budge into pro tennis as yet. But Mako is organizing his own orchestra in Hollywood . . . William Fox is expected to be a surprise witness in the stockholders' suit vs. Loew's on Thursday.

AMITY: Gypsy Rose Lee and her husband have been living at their farm at Highland Mills, N. Y. . . . Every night she drives to the station, in their car, to meet her husband. The townswomen are resentful of Gypsy, because they drive to the station to meet their husbands in trucks, while the strip-teaser seems to be flaunting a car . . . Next year, however, there'll be no resentment in Highland Falls. For Christmas Gypsy's husband is buying her a truck—just like the other wives have.

PRIDE: Bill Robinson was at the Friars Club Saturday night and lamented the fact that members of his race objected to his screen activities—because in the Shirley Temple pictures he's played Bill's roles show him doing menial jobs . . . that of a porter, janitor, etc. . . . "I'm sorry," Bill sighed, "but there's only one other sympathetic role for a man playing in a Shirley Temple picture—and it's a sure thing I can't play Shirley's father."

CHATTER: Harold Ickes confided last week that he has decided not to run for Mayor of Chicago . . . Lewis Milestone has offered to purchase the screen rights of the play "Of Mice and Men" and to screen it in the Astoria studios here . . . Maury Maverick is writing a book about the Constitution. He'll call it "Law of the Land" . . . John Garfield and Columbia Films will decide today whether he'll portray "Golden Boy"

THE TRIO who'll be indicted by Dewey are initialed N., R. and D. . . . Pol. Com. Valentine last week refused to accept the retirement pleas of four officers who names have been mentioned in Amen's investigation.

TRIUMPH: Will Morrissey, the producer, who is now in Hollywood, saw the prospectus issued by Earl Carroll wherein the folk were invited to contribute $1,000 each to joint the Inner Circle Club . . . Morrissey then inspected Carroll's new dream cafe and its streamlined features. Earle showed him the electric beams which open doors and stressed the automatic service . . . "It's wonderful," Will advised. "It'll open the door—and take your car right back to the finance company."

Coveted Role to Richard Greene

Casting one of the most pretentious films of the winter movie season, "The Hound of the Baskervilles," Darryl F. Zanuck has chosen Richard Greene to play Sir Henry Baskerville in the famous Sir Arthur Conan Doyle story.

Zooming to the heights of stardom as have few movie players, Greene will go into the immortal tale Dec. 19, having completed in the meantime "Kentucky," in which he is playing with Loretta Young.

The youthful English actor joins a cast of "The Hound of the Baskervilles" which includes Basil Rathbone as Sherlock Holmes and Nigel Bruce as Dr. Watson.

Capital Theaters Announce Pre-Christmas Week Bills

"A Christmas Carol," the heartwarming classic by Charles Dickens, comes to the screen of the Capitol Theater tomorrow with Reginald Owen as Scrooge, Terry Kilburn as Tiny Tim and Gene and Kathleen Lockhart as the Cratchits. Made by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios, whose "David Copperfield" was one of the finest films of several years ago, there is every reason to believe that this will be a screen adaptation in the true spirit of Christmas. On the Capitol stage will be the song duo popular in radio and vaudeville circles, Cross and Dunn. Rex Weber, the comic ventriloquist, and Roy Smeck, the "wizard of the strings," are others on the bill which will also boast new routines by the 24 Capitol Comets.

A story of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, filmed in Technicolor, "Heart of the North," will be the feature attraction on the Warner Brothers' Earle Theater screen for the week beginning tomorrow. Seen in person on the Earle stage only two weeks ago, Dick Foran plays the leading role in this adaptation of a novel by William Byron Mowery. Others in the cast are Gloria Dickson, Gale Page, Janet Chapman, Patric Knowles and Allen Jenkins, "Gang Busters." Philips H. Lord's dramatic radio program, will be offered as a stage innovation presenting a true-to-life drama. Grace and Niko, international dancers; Grace Drysdale and the 16 Earle Roxeyettes will also be on the stage bill. Newsreel and selected short subjects will round out the program.

The drama of the wireless rooms as ships fight their way through typhoon and hurricane is the setting for "The Storm," which opens at RKO-Keith's Theater tomorrow. The explosion of a gasoline tanker in midocean and the crashing of a liner into an iceberg are among the impressive scenes promised in this film, which features Charles Bickford, Tom Brown, Barton MacLane, Preston Foster, Andy Devine and Nan Grey. Walt Disney's "Farmyard Symphony" will be retained as the short feature of the surrounding bill.

The "great American novel" and the haywire hilarity in which it might be written when the wife turns model to carry her husband's expenses, is the subject of "Thanks for the Memory," the new screen comedy which opens tomorrow at the Columbia Theater. Bob Hope plays an harassed husband, and Shirley Ross his equally worried wife in this first-run offering. The cast includes a Hollywood correspondent of The Washington Post, Hedda Hopper, as well as Otto Kruger, Charles Butterworth and Roscoe Karns.

Already noted in these columns as one of the "Ten Best Films of the Year," "The Citadel" will continue its impressive success at Loew's Palace Theater. With Robert Donat and Rosalind Russell as a doctor and his wife, the film tells of the physician's experiences from the coal mines of Wales to a lucrative London practice. Based on Dr. A. J. Cronin's best selling novel, it boasts a depth and sincerity in its telling and a forceful stand in its medical controversy. "Hot on Ice," a Pete Smith short; a travelogue on Madeira, and an extensive newsreel coverage are also on the Palace screen.

For its third week downtown, "Angels With Dirty Faces" will hold over at the Metropolitan Theater. This is the gripping film in which James Cagney gives a performance that has been highly praised by both critics and public. Pat O'Brien is the costar. The cast also includes Humphrey Bogart, the "Dead End" Kids, Ann Sheridan and George Bancroft.

Tomorrow and Saturday will see another double bill in the International Cinema Festival at the Little Theater, with "Potemkin," the Russian work from Director Sergi Sisenstein, and "Emperor Jones," Eugene O'Neill's drama with Paul Robeson, the dual attraction. Sunday, Monday and Tuesday the attraction will be "Le Maternelle," one of the "ten best" of 1935, and Wednesday and Thursday of next week will feature "Escape Me Never," the English film version of Elizabeth Bergner's famous stage role.

"Moonlight Sonata," in which Paderewski plays four selections with the camera catching for millions a technique previously witnessed only by a privileged few, will continue its return engagement at the Belasco Theater for another week. Marie Tempest and Charles Farrell are in the cast. "Slalom" is an added feature, which, with brilliantly beautiful photography, takes the camera for an adventure on skiis in the Swiss Alps.

The Washington Civic Theater's production of "High Tor," Maxwell Anderson's comedy, will continue its run at the Wardman Park Theater tonight, tomorrow and Saturday evenings. Frances Brunt, Harrison Libbey and Virginia Rand, all Washington players, head the cast, which also includes Kenneth Baughart, Harry Westcott, and Richard Kreutzburg.

The "Saxon Countryside," activities at a girl's college, Paris at night, Amazonian life and the Moon, Mars and Saturn are all subjects of the featured shorts on next week's bill which will open tomorrow at the Trans-Lux Theater. The simplicity of the German and South American settings will be offset by the night spots of Paris and educational Wellesley. "A Trip to the Sky" is the title of the Grand Prix documentary film. Donald Duck, star of Walt Disney's "Donald's Gold Course," is also on the bill which offers world newsreel coverage as its major attraction.

"Red Hot" Nona Martin will be the star of "Broadway, Scandals," the new week's attraction at the Gayety Theater, starting Sunday afternoon. Joe Fried and Al Pharr, comedians; Joey Shaw, radio singer, and Bert Grant are outstanding in the cast of 60 which will also include Jean Wade, Vick Wells and the Morgan Sisters.

Russian Actor Is Recognized Writer

A life-long ambition was realized by Gregory Gaye, handsome Russian actor who portrays a foreign ambassador in "Thanks for Everything," when he was notified that his very first writing effort had been accepted for publication.

It is the English adaptation and translation of "Pushkin—Pen and Pistols," biography of the famed Russian poet.

Gaye next plans to enter the fiction field when picture assignments are completed. In his early thirties, the talented character actor is well versed in the English language, in which he has had extensive training since he first came to the United States a dozen years ago. For a short time he attended the University of Washington.

Brooks Joins Cast Of Chan Film

Phyllis Brooks, blonde lead in "Up the River," will play the chief feminine role in "Charlie Chan in Honolulu."

This will be Miss Brooks' first appearance in the Chan series. Sidney Toler is portraying the role of the famed Chinese detective character.

Film Table

Loew's Capitol—"Dramatic School," at 11:10 a. m., 1:50, 4:35, 7:20 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 12:55, 3:35, 6.20 and 9 p. m.

Earle—"Comet Over Broadway," at 11:15 a. m., 1:55, 4:35, 7:15 and 9:55 p. m. Stage shows at 1, 3:45, 6:25 and 9:05 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"Little Tough Guys in Society" at 12 noon, 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10 p. m.

Palace—"The Citadel," at 11:30 a. m. 2, 4:30, 7:05 and 9:35 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Angels With Dirty Faces," at 11:30 a. m., 1:30, 3:30, 5:25, 7:35 and 9:35 p. m.

Columbia—"If I Were King" at 12 noon, 2:25, 4:53, 7:20 and 9:50 p. m.

Belasco—"Moonlight Sonata," at 4:15, 6:05, 8 and 9:55 p. m.

Little Theater—"Forever Yours," at 11:50 a. m., 1:55, 3:55, 5:50, 7:50 and 9:45 p. m. "Steel, Man's Servant," at 11:15 a. m., 1:15, 3:15, 5:15, 7:10 and 9:10 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Newsreel and shorts, at 10 and 11:45 a. m., 12:30, 1:45, 3, 4:15, 5:30, 6:45, 8, 9:15 and 10:45 p. m.

Tivoli—"Men With Wings," at 1, 3:15, 5:10, 7:20 and 9:30 p. m.

Ambassador—"Suez," at 1, 3:05, 5:10, 7:20 and 9:25 p. m.

Uptown—"The Mad Miss Manton," at 1:45, 3:45, 5:45, 7:50 and 9:50 p. m.

Little

Representing the ultimate shout of twentieth century industrialism in the International Cinema Festival is a film of surprising beauty. "Steel, Man's Servant" is its name and it was made in Technicolor by the subsidiaries of United States Steel at a cost just below the half-million mark. With "Forever Yours," it opened yesterday morning at the Little Theater.

Skilled camera work and the magnificence of ever-improving Technicolor capture fiery colors unique to the twentieth century. Certainly the sight of molten metal at 200 degrees is not one's primary idea of beauty, but through the camera, which fortunately fails to include the heat and color of the furnaces, we are shown gorgeous splashes of red and yellow flames. Edwin C. Hill is narrator for this pilgrimage to the birthplace of the kitchen knife and the trolley track. Leaving propaganda and advertising to the imagination, it has a score, by Vittorio Giannini, Philadelphia composer and brother of soprano Dusolina Giannini, as colorful as the film itself. "Steel, Man's Servant" is a sleek and vivid picture of one of the fabricated materials which have made American history.

Beniamino Gigli is the star of "Forever Yours," a musical film which relates an amorous adventure of an operatic tenor. Being an operatic tenor himself, Gigli embarks on an amorous adventure with Joan Gardner during which he sings arias from "Rigoletto," "Faust," "Mignon," "L'Africaine" and "Lohengrin." A previous tenant of the Little Theater, the film's main attraction is the tenor, who recently sang, in person, to an enthusiastic Washington audience. R. L. C.

Just in Case

Dick Powell received a toolbox and a first-aid kit from Joan Blondell and the children for his birthday.

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(X) Shirley Temple in "Just Around the Corner" at 1, 2:45, 4:30, 6:15, 8, 9:45. Walt Disney Cartoon.

CENTRAL 425 9th St. N.W. Open 11 A.M. ME. 2841
Dennis O'Keefe, Florence Rice in "Vacation From Love" at 12:35, 3:15, 6, 8:45. (X) John Howard, Mary Carlisle in "Touchdown Army" at 11, 1:40, 4:20, 7:05, 9:50. News.

PENN 650 Pa. Ave. S.E. Mat. 1 P. M. LI. 2179
(X) Bette Davis, Errol Flynn in "The Sisters" at 1:15, 3:20, 5:20, 7:30, 9:35. Also Looney Cartoon.

SHERIDAN Ga. Ave. & Sheridan Mat. 1 P. M. RA. 2400
(X) Barbara Stanwyck, Henry Fonda in "Mad Miss Manton" at 1:30, 3:30, 5:35, 7:35, 9:40. Also News.

SILVER Ga. Ave. & Colesville Pk Mat. 1 P.M. SHep. 5500
(X) Bing Crosby, Fred MacMurray in "Sing You Sinners" at 1:40, 3:40, 5:40, 7:40, 9:40. Short Subject.

TIVOLI 14th & Park Rd. N.W. Mat. 1 P. M. CO.1800
(X) Fred MacMurray, Ray Milland in "Men With Wings" at 1, 3:15, 5:10, 7:20, 9:30. Also Comedy, Newsreel.

UPTOWN Conn. Ave. & Newark Mat. 1 P. M. CL. 5400
(X) Barbara Stanwyck, Henry Fonda in "Mad Miss Manton" at 1:45, 3:45, 5:45, 7:50, 9:50. Also Comedy.

Theaters Having Eve. Performances.

APOLLO 624 H Street N.E. LI. 3275
(X) "Garden of the Moon" with Pat O'Brien, John Payne, Margaret Lindsay at 5:45, 7:45, 9:50.

AVALON 5612 Conn. Ave. N.W. WO. 2600
(X) Bing Crosby, Fred MacMurray in "Sing You Sinners" at 6:15, 7:55, 9:45. Also Short Subject.

AVE. GRAND 645 Pa. Ave. S.E. LI. 2406
(X) Sonja Henie, Richard Greene in "My Lucky Star" at 6:15, 7:55, 9:45.

COLONY 4935 Ga. Ave. N.W. GE. 6500
(X) Bing Crosby, Fred MacMurray in "Sing You Sinners." At 6, 7:50, 9:40.

HOME 1230 C St. N.E. AT. 3188
(X) Joel McCrea, Andrea Leeds in "Youth Takes a Fling" at 6:30, 8:10, 9:50. Also Comedy.

SAVOY 3030 14th St. N.W. CO. 4968
(X) Janet Gaynor, Robert Montgomery, Franchot Tone in "Three Loves Has Nancy" at 6:15, 8:05, 10.

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Sandler Elected Masonic Leader

Jacob Sandler, local attorney and professor of law at Southeastern University, was elected and installed last night, worshipful master of Samuel Gompers Lodge No. 45, Free and Accepted Masons, at ceremonies attended by many members of the local bench and bar.

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Railroad Head Favors Reduced Freight Rates

By The Associated Press.

A railroad president told a Senate committee yesterday that lower freight rates might bring the railroads out of their present financial difficulties—if accompanied by reduced expenses and an increased volume of traffic.

This opinion was offered by G. P. McNear, jr., president of the Toledo, Peoria & Western Railroad, a dividend and bonus-paying carrier that McNear said never had borrowed money from the Government and opposed Government interference.

McNear said his railroad did not join in the request of n' st carriers earlier this year for an increase in freight rates, believing that any advance in charges would drive traffic away and increase truck competition.

Asks Government Action

Testifying before the committee investigating profit-sharing and incentive taxation, McNear listed several things the Government might do to help.

He said he believed a more liberal tax allowance for depreciation of roadway might stimulate railroad expenditures for replacements and suggested that present railroad reorganization procedure be speeded up so that the holders of securities now in default would be able to "step in and clean up the financial situation promptly."

He agreed with other witnesses who have testified previously that it would be a "fine thing" if the Government would waive taxes on "paper profits" that a carrier might realize by buying its outstanding securities at present market values, which in most instances are far below par.

He protested that railroads are forced to pay higher social security taxes than other industries.

He pleaded that the Government not "bear down" on personal or so-called "family" holding companies, "which are organized to do a constructive job."

A former Wall Street investment banker, McNear said he had been forced to form personal holding companies to finance the purchase of the Peoria road for $1,300,000 in 1926. Previously, he said, there had been no bidders for the road and abandonment of part of its 239 miles of trackage appeared imminent.

He testified the road had been forced from the first to operate at a profit because of its inability to sell any large volume of securities. Its net income in 1936, he said, was $273,000, of which $75,000 went to stockholders and the remainder, less $61,000 in undistributed profits tax, to the surplus account. Gross income for the year was $2,424,000.

Retort to Vandenberg

"How does it happen that you could run in black ink when almost every other railroad in the country is in the red?" Senator Vandenberg (Republican), Michigan, asked.

"We insist on running our own business," the witness replied.

The railroad executive said all employes of the road were paid a bonus of a week's salary in 1936 and 1937 and reported that the average annual wage of employes was $1,682 in 1936, about average for Class One carriers.

U.S. to Compromise Breyer Tax Claim

The Government agreed yesterday to accept $4,284,927.22 in settlement of an alleged deficiency of $10,732,916.16 in taxes on the estate of the late Henry W. Breyer, Philadelphia ice cream manufacturer who died in Miami Beach, Fla., March 15, 1936.

The Internal Revenue Bureau had declared that Breyer's net taxable estate was $24,1C1,667.34. It added that $13,408,312.49 was owed, but only $2,675,396.33 paid.

Park Commission To Meet Today

The National Capital Park and Planning Commission will meet today to consider the progress of plans for the Municipal Center, improvement of Washington Channel and other projects.

Meeting at the new Interior Building, with Chairman Frederic A. Delano presiding, the commissioners also will discuss details of the proposed Jefferson Junior High School recreation center in southwest Washington.

A report on the raising of funds to build unit No. 2 of the George Washington Memorial Parkway also will be made.

Indies Expert Speaks To Spanish Institute

Dr. Irene Wright, who spent 22 years in Seville studying the Indies, lats night addressed the Washington Chapter of the Institute de Las Espanas at the Pan-American Union. She was introduced by the Rev. David Rubio, D. D., of Catholic University, and Dr. John T. Vance, of the Library of Congress, presided.

A piano solo was performed by Miss Elena Crivelle, graduate of the Chicago College of Music.

Klein Rites Today; Famed Caterer

Requiem mass for Victor Klein, 59, of 635 Otis place northwest, who died Tuesday, will be said today at 9 a. m., at St. Gabriel's Church. Burial will be in Prospect Hill Cemetery.

Mr. Klein, famed caterer of the defunct firm of Rauscher's, was born in Alsace-Lorraine, and came to America when he was 17. He had lived in the District 38 years.

Mr. Klein is survived by a sister, two nieces and one nephew, all of whom live in France.

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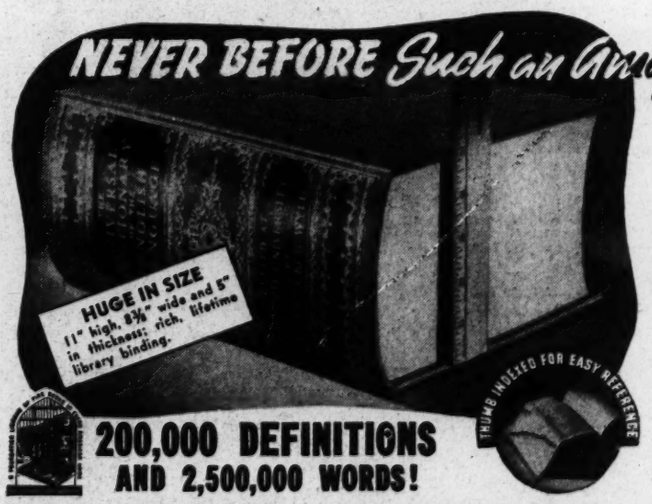

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Hanes Is Made Boss in Office Of Comptroller

Morgenthau Orders Staff to Report to Him Instead of Taylor

Undersecretary of the Treasury John W. Hanes was given general supervision over the work of the office of Comptroller of the Currency in an order issued yesterday by Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau.

The office, with regulatory authority over national banks, was directed to report to Hanes instead of to Wayne C. Taylor, fiscal Assistant Secretary.

Although officials described the transfer as routine, it was believed to dovetail with efforts of the Treasury, working through the Comptroller's office, to clear up certain banking situations which have troubled officials for some months past.

Since Hanes, a former member of the Securities and Exchange Commission, came to the Treasury as Assistant Secretary last summer, a special departmental committee on banking problems has been set up and he has been made its head.

This accounts for the order instructing the Comptroller's office to report to Hanes instead of to Taylor, officials explained. The office had "nominally" reported to Taylor since February 1, 1937.

Meanwhile, conferences between officials of the Comptroller's office and the Bank of America National Trust & Savings Association, San Francisco, over problems arising in connection with bank management, have been concluded for the present, it was learned.

The conferences were attended by Jesse H. Jones, chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, and Leo T. Crowley, chairman of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. L. M. Giannini, president of Bank of America, and other leading officials, represented the bank.

Gorman Ousted As Member of T.W.O.C. Group

By the United Press.

The Textile Workers Organizing Committee yesterday dismissed President Francis J. Gorman of the United Textile Workers, as a member of the T. W. O. C. advisory committee, an affiliate of the Congress of Industrial Organizations.

C. I. O. Vice President Sidney Hillman, who is T. W. O. C. chairman, announced Gorman's dismissal and charged the U. T. W. leader was attempting to "split the textile ranks and play directly into the hands of that minority of employers who still seek to depress conditions."

Hillman said the union now is seeking restoration of a 12½ per cent pay cut affecting 150,000 woolen and worsted workers and declared that Gorman's "splitting tactics" are "doomed to failure."

Gorman announced on Tuesday that his U. T. W. was out of the C. I. O. and that he would call a convention of 700 locals with 400,000 members in Washington soon to decide the union's future affiliation. He added that he personally had joined the American Federation of Labor, from which the U. T. W. was expelled for its part in the C. I. O.

Weather Man Says U. S. Faces Long Wet Spell

If weather history continues to move in the circle predicted for it, the years just ahead will be "relatively wet," the U. S. Weather Bureau declared yesterday in its annual report.

Smart farmers, however, will know that a dry spell is always around the corner and will plan their crops accordingly, especially if they live in arid sections, the report stated.

The bureau called attention to its belief that weather forecasting is becoming harder and more complex all the time—"yet for that reason far more interesting." It was formerly supposed, the report states, that increased information would make the job simpler.

The bureau also reported "with pleasure" that the distance between the theoretical and the practical schools of weather forecasting is becoming less and less. Apparently incapable of being bridged when observations were confined largely to surface conditions, the distance "has steadily narrowed as modern means for exploring the upper air have given meteorologists more information on the movements of free air up to great altitudes."

Postlude

By Ray C. B. Brown.

Hans Kindler conducts the National Symphony Orchestra in Constitution Hall Wednesday night. Soloists: Mischa Elman, violin; Albert N. Tipton, flute. Program: Overture to "Le Nozze di Figaro" (Mozart), Suite in B minor for flute and strings (Bach) "Scenes of Poverty and Toil" (Robert L. Sanders), Concerto in D minor for violin (Beethoven).

Mischa Elman's appearance as soloist in the Beethoven violin concerto was naturally the peak of last evening's concert by the National Symphony Orchestra in Constitution Hall and all that preceded it on the program probably seemed to the majority of the auditors to be a preliminary climb. Expectation was not disappointed, for his reading of the solo part was eloquent in his wonted golden tone and polished with his usual technical skill. A slip of his memory just before the conclusion of the rondo did not ruffle anyone's calm.

There must have been many a slip of another kind during the first performance of the concerto 132 years ago this month, if the story is true that the soloist had to play without rehearsal because of Beethoven's tardiness in completing the part. The executant on that occasion was also a reowned violinist. Franz Clement, who was by way of being a composer himself to the extent of six concertos and 25 concertinas.

Not without good reason does this concerto maintain its supremacy over all other works of its kind. Its richness of musical content, its broad proportions and its noble simplicity place it in a class by itself, and the scoring is extraordinarily fine. Beethoven thought so much of the concerto himself that he made a piano version of it which is now a practically forgotten curiosity.

Hans Kindler opened the concert with the overture to "Le Nozze di Figaro," that sparkling and effervescent music that never palls upon the ear. One wonders, by the way, if the champions of racial purity in Germany are not going to have an uncomfortable moment when someone points out to them that Mozart's librettist in "Le Nozze di Figaro" and "Don Giovanni" was an Italian Jew. Lorenzo da Ponte's father, when he was converted to Catholicism, took the surname of the bishop who baptized him, and changed the front names of his three sons from Emmanuel, Baruch and Ananias to Lorenzo, Girolamo and Luigi.

The overture was followed by Bach's B minor Suite for flute and strings in which the orchestra's first flautist, Albert N. Tipton, gave a performance very commendable for clarity of tone and facile fingering. This suite is one of the works in which Bach gave free play to his humor, and in doing so revealed himself as a charming conversationalist who could jest and banter in his moments of ease.

The novelty on the program, "Scenes of Poverty and Toil" by Robert L. Sanders, dean of the University of Indiana's school of music, is a work in which ambition exceeded accomplishment. Despite its Balzacian title, it is not a social document of music. Divided into five movements, it essays to describe "Bread Line," "Sweat Shop," "Lame Beggar," "Wanton" and "Street Gang." Were these tags removed and the auditor permitted to guess the meaning, no such impressions would be received.

Deliberate propaganda is seldom artistically successful. Mr. Sanders has expended much ingenuity in instrumentation and used a fair amount of discord to very little purpose.

Children's Hospital To Start 'Bank' For Transfusions

Miss Mattie Gibson, superintendent, yesterday revealed that sufficient funds have been raised to start a "blood bank" at Children's Hospital.

The depositary is expected to be ready for practical use in a few weeks.

Members of the board of lady visitors donated $575, enough to buy the required electric refrigerator and glass containers, said Miss Gibson. She expressed hope that means would be found to pay for the "bank's" maintenance cost of $50 to $100 a month.

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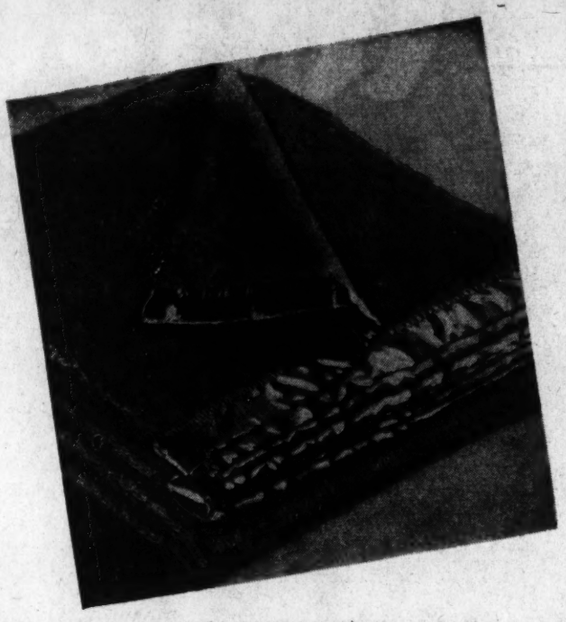

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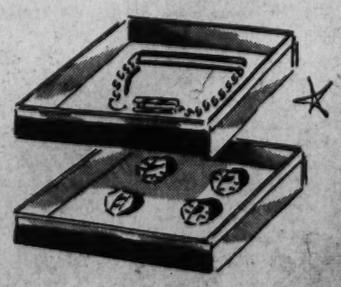

Mary Haworth's Mail

Cast Off by Once-Devoted Suitor Who Caught Her In Lie, Girl Asks How to Revive Romance

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: About a year ago I met a man older than myself and we started going together. For two months, we were together nearly every night and I had just got to the point where I thought I couldn't live without him when he started working nights. After that, I saw him two or three evenings a week, and gradually began to accept invitations from other men. Usually, however, I told him where I had been and what I had been doing, before anyone else had a chance to carry tales.

Then I made the mistake of fibbing to him about a certain date. As it happened, a man who worked with him had reported the incident before I gave him my version of it, and he called my bluff, saying that he had changed his mind about me as a result of catching me in a lie, and that he couldn't stand a liar. He refused to accept my apologies, although I telephoned him and wrote him several notes, trying to patch things up. Altogether, we went together about five months, and I am sure he cared a lot for me, as several people (including a cousin of mine, one of his best friends, and the man who introduced us) often said so.

After we broke up, early last summer, he went with another girl for about the same length of time and then gave her up for the identical reason that he did me. Is there any hope of making him see my side of the story? The fellow we quarreled about doesn't mean a thing to me, and I confessed as much, but he is stubborn and will not believe me. How can I convince him that he is the only man I care for? That I would be true-blue to him if given another chance?

Have I been too anxious? And was it fair of him to order me around when we were not even engaged? (He did warn me, though, that when someone else stepped in, he would step out.) I never realized until after the break how much he cared for me, and if I had known, I would gladly have given up other men for him. Do you think it was fair of him not to let me know? I have met him by accident a few times recently, but he is very cool unless I open the conversation, and even then he is merely civil rather than friendly. Give me your opinions and tell me what to do. Sincerely, REPENTANT.

The Two-Fold Insult

DEAR REPENTANT: This man appears to be one of those neurotic individuals who possess the fateful faculty of bringing to pass the very thing they most wish to avoid. What is that phrase—"The thing I greatly feared hath come upon me?" Apparently he doesn't know how to keep his relations with women on a basis which would preclude petty treachery. Either he is spontaneously attracted to an essentially fickle and coquettish type of girl, or there is a quality of anxious, overweening possessiveness in his address which impels his current lady-love to resort to evasion and deceit as the only supposed means of keeping her other relationships alive. Or perhaps both factors enter in.

In this connection, however, it may be well to point out that the girl of Grade A character would manage, nevertheless, to maintain her own integrity even when responding to such oppressive attentiveness. She would disdain the thought of buying personal freedom of action with the coin of trickery and would either make a sacrificial adjustment to the man's unfortunate attitude or conduct herself in a manner at once so independent and so honorable as to compel his grudging respect, trust, admiration and interest, if not his complete approval.

Considering the sort of man you are dealing with—a man who, as a result of painful, self invited experiences, distrusts his own abibility to win and hold a woman's heart; who distrusts, with some foundation, the veracity of womankind, and who, in consequence, is constantly on the lookout for evidences of feminine inconstancy—I think your chances of reviving this romance are nil. The fact that you love him dearly and are willing to go to almost any lengths to effect a reconciliation and to convince him of your repentant devotion, cannot rebuild, in a nature like his, a faith that has once been destroyed. His disillusionment at the hands of the second woman is calculated to aggravate, rather than minimize, his resentment of your earlier, similar performance.

I dare say this man knows well enough by now that you do care greatly for him, but finds it impossible to forgive you the two-fold insult you dealt his ego. Not only did you wound his spirit in betraying his trust, but you wounded his pride, his self-love, in parading that deception before the eyes of certain of his friends. I dare say his consistent coolness is intended as punishment and revenge. M. H.

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The Gentler Sex

By Malvina Lindsay

'Those Silly Women'

"Well, I see the American women are out making asses of themselves again."

"How do you mean?"

"Over this Anthony Eden. They seem to have gone stark, raving mad—"

"Oh, well, there's always a few—"

"Few nothing! They say there was such a mob of 'em at the station nobody could get within a mile of the place. They say when he went to the White House, the police had to beat 'em back with clubs. They say when he was downtown at the Press Club they jammed up traffic for a block and ten fainted—"

"Wait! Now, who says that?"

"Everybody. I heard it all around town. A fellow in the barber shop was telling me that he saw some old maid knock two gray-haired women down on Fourteenth street—"

"Say now, wait a minute! I was on Fourteenth street right at the time he was there and I didn't see—"

"You don't mean YOU went down there to see him!"

"No, I just happened to be in that part of town and the people were gathered there and I just thought well now here was a man who was a sort of historical character and I really owed it to myself to take a look at him and so—"

"Ha! Ha! Ha! That's good! Well, I know one thing — I wouldn't walk across the street to look at him."

"Well, there were a lot of men there."

"Oh, well, there's always a few crackpots. Anyway, there couldn't have been very many for I know a fellow in the drug store was telling me about it—he was there —and he said he never saw so many women in his life. He said there were at least a dozen women with babies and one in a wheel chair . . . why he said the street was simply packed with 'em."

"Now that's not true."

"Well look at what the paper here says about the way all the women at the State Department were waving and carrying on and falling out windows and calling him 'sweet' and everything—"

"Now that was only a few—and anyway he is sort of sweet."

"Sweet! I don't see anything sweet about him. Now just look at him here in the paper. I just ask you if you can tell me what women see in him?"

"Well, it's not altogther his looks, it's a lot of things, it's just —well the way he wears his hat and—"

"Say, you haven't any more sense than the rest of 'em!"

"Well you just don't understand. It's not that women are actually crazy about HIM. It's just that there's something about him—well I don't know what to call it. It's just something—"

"You mean sex appeal?"

"There's no use to be vulgar. What I mean is that he—well sort of represents something . . . you see what I mean don't you? . . . say, are you listening?"

"What was that?"

"I said 'You see what I mean?'"

"What?" . . . Oh . . . er, yes, all right. Say, look at this picture, will you? See his mustache? You notice what a wide part it has in the middle?"

"Yes."

"And you see how far it comes out at the sides?"

"Yes."

"Well say, you know I was wondering if mine wouldn't look better trimmed a little more that way?"

Gardenia Scent Held Sure Lure To Stag Line

Perfume Expert Says It's the One Fragrance Beaus Always Recognize

By Marshall Adams,
The Post Fashion Editor.

HERE is a perfume hint for all girls who expect to spend much time on the dance floor during the Christmas holidays. It is—try gardenia on the stag line.

The suggestion is given by Lucrecia Allen, originator of a line of flower perfumes, who is in Washington this week at a local store to aid women in buying their Christmas perfumes, men in selecting their gift perfumes for women.

"Gardenia scent," says Miss Allen, "is the only perfume that a stag line at a dance will respond to en masse. It is also the one fragrance which a best beau will recognize at once without a prompting from the wearer. Perhaps the fact that 3,000 blossoms are used in every ounce of this perfume produces this quick discernment on the part of men."

Matches White or Black

Miss Allen, who maintains that perfume should be keyed not only to the wearer's personality but to the color of her gown, recommends either white or black as the perfect backgrounds for gardenia perfume. Evening wear, she points out, takes on a new glamour when the heavy undertones of gardenias complement a white dinner gown or the dramatic flare of a stark black evening gown.

Miss Allen's favorite brain child, however, is her Savoir Faire which has been described as "a scent that makes men want to pursue women again."

Miss Allen, fresh from New York in her advance midwinter print and minks, had much seasonal advice on both the wearing and selection of perfumes. The cruise-inspired prints that women will be wearing in another week or two in Washington suggested many tonal schemes to her.

Lilac for Blues

Dainty whispers of lilac should be used with blues, greens or lavenders, according to this perfume stylist. "Honeysuckle or wild rose are the appropriate fragrances for yellows, pinks and rosy tints," said Miss Allen, "because here again there is an illusion of the actual flower suggested when a woman looks, dresses and feels as fresh and fragrant as a rose."

Miss Allen not only has studied flower fragrances from a technical and esthetic angle, but was honored at the last Blue Bonnet Texas Centennial Exhibition for her perfume research achievements. "Gardenia scents are for either the very naive jeune-fille or the mature sophisticate," she pointed out. No in-between here! Lilac is for the aristocratic. Distinguished types, such as the Duchess of Kent, can wear this with the elegance due this English flower. It is passe for the little old lady with snowy locks to wear lavender tints or perfumes. She should wear wild rose, which is the perfect all-around perfume, perfect for housewives and office workers who desire clean, pleasant fragrances rather than heavy, musk scented perfumes.

Miss Allen became most eloquent when she discussed honeysuckle scents. "Only ethereal, willowy girls should essay this most delicate of odeurs. Tall, slim blondes, slender of face, and angelic of expression, were meant for this delicious fragrance." A last word to the perfume-wise is Miss Allen's caution to wear perfume behind each ear, near the hair, as it is thus diffused more subtly and lastingly than when used on rayons, furs or silks.

Foot-Care Hints Given by Actress

Hollywood, Calif.—Because Ann Sheridan had to walk 8 miles during the rehearsal and shooting of a single scene in "Angels With Dirty Faces," she believes no job is harder on the feet than acting and thinks she's qualified to offer five foot notes:

Pat the favorite bath powder on feet after morning shower.

If possible during the day, take off shoes and stockings, exercise and relax feet.

In evening bathe them with epsom salts solution and massage with emarald oil.

Never neglect the weekly pedicure.

Proper filing of nails and care of the cuticle makes feet more attractive and prevents minor foot ills.

Your Figure

'In-Between' Snacks Useful In Maintaining Energy

By Ida Jean Kain.

YOU CAN teach an old dieter new tricks. Eating between meals, and even eating sweets, always regarded as fatal to a reducing diet, are now in high favor.

The idea is not to let your diet take all the starch out of you. When you begin to get that all-gone feeling around 11 a. m., instead of sticking it out until lunch time, have something sweet to provide quick energy—a banana, a glass of fruit juice, a glass of skim milk, even a bonbon. Then at 4 p. m., another zero hour for many a reducer, have a cup of tea with a lump of sugar, some fruit juice or a sweet of some kind.

According to dietetic experiments, your energy needs are more adequately covered by taking food at frequent intervals. The new theory is that sweets, used in moderation, can be made a important part of the reducing diet. The reduction in calories, necessary for the loss of weight, may be an uncomfortable change accompanied by a feeling of depression, nervousness or headaches.

These symptoms may be associated with the reduction in the blood sugar. An actual weakness results from the exhaustion of available energy and reduced blood sugar. This can be counteracted by eating a moderate amount of sweets between meals for quick energy.

These in-between-meal calories, however, are not extra. They must be figured in with your daily allowance, and the total must not exceed two-thirds your normal allowance if you are to lose your two pounds per week. It is easy to juggle the calories to include these snacks without exceeding your limit.

A minimum of fat in the reducing diet continues to be the rule, and this rule must be strictly observed when you take food more often. It is a fact that body fat is stored more easily from food fat than from any other fuel foods. Also, remember that the fats are higher in calories than the other food elements.

Dieting is, at best, no fun . . . we want to use all the scientists' discoveries to make the going easier.

A Woman's New York

By Alice Hughes.

New York, Dec. 14.

I LIVE within three blocks of the Grand Central district, that mad maelstrom which whirls about the big deppo at 42d street and Park avenue. Never a dull minute in my neighborhood. The street and its sidewalks are impassable at all hours, and especially at noon, when the mighty office buildings disgorge their thousands for what our office-workers drolly call "lunch."

ALICE HUGHES

And to see this dizzy and terrifying area at its best and worst, I recommend a fire alarm at the lunch hour. There must be nothing like it in the whole world for sheer madness with a dash of discipline. I was tooling along Forty-second street at 12:30 the other day when someone pulled a box, and the big red wagons rolled. Now, a fire alarm in our crowded territory is rightly viewed as a civic danger, even if only some poor short-order cook has set the grease afire, and apparatus for several miles around responds when the gong goes.

GIRL ABOUT TOWN—This is the day when Miss Liberty, all redressed and polished, receives her friends again. Our most famous girl, the Statue of Liberty, on Bedloe's Island in the Bay, is opened today to visitors, after a whole year of rebuilding and cleaning. She looks fine in her first new dolling-up in 50 years.

The Christmas season is here, for today, for the first time, the little brass band from Yorkville is outside our Murray Hill windows tooting "O Come, All Ye Faithful," and "Silent Night." Today I'll toss them a quarter, for I'm all come over Christmassy, like—but by December 24 I'll be wafting them old flat-irons. You can stand the old hymns on brass just so long, and then something snaps.

It's become a rule here that when a girl is missing, just look in the subway system. If they get sad, or mad, or broke, or generally tragic, they get in a subway train and ride days for a nickel. Gertrude Safran, a pretty refugee from Vienna, was missing four days—and finally turned up, reporting that she was so discouraged on a job hunt she just rode up and down the Coney Island line all the time. She did come out once in a while for a sandwich.

Mary Pickford, the cosmetics tycoon, is a familiar sight around town lately—always pretty, always dainty, and always smart.

The lively line of sterling silver jewelry designed by Leonore Deskow has now been taken over entire by a noted store. Leonore is devoted to chains, both for the neck and the wrist, and makes beautiful and simple creations any woman would be happy to sport. Ask the psychiatrists about the significance of chain jewelry. Those birds have an answer for everything.

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Christmas Negligee Shop—Third Floor

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C—**"Loll"** by Daniel Green. Wine rayon velvet with gold kid trim and heel—black with gold—royal blue with silver. $3.50.

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'Unofficial' List at White House Curtailed

'Must' List Crowds Out Most Persons in Private Life; Guests at Eleanor Roosevelt's Party May Do the 'Eleanor Glide'

By Hope Ridings Miller,
The Post Society Editor.

IF YOUR STATUS is "unofficial" and you've been wondering why invitations to the White House aren't coming along this season as they have in the past, here's the reason. The official or "must" list has grown so large, persons in private life are to be few and far between at state functions this winter.

This was pointed out yesterday by Mrs. Roosevelt at her press conference. She explained further that guests for the party being planned in honor of her niece, Eleanor Roosevelt, on December 27, would include the debutante's friends from New York and Boston, a few Capital buds and belles and "young people from official families" and several friends of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, jr. The White House aides will also attend, and each has been asked to invite a young lady who has not been to a party at the Executive Mansion before.

Whether the company will do the "Eleanor Glide," the new dance recently introduced by Chaney and Fox and dedicated to Mrs. Roosevelt, has not been determined, but chances are the Virginia Reel will be featured before the evening is over. The First Lady yesterday displayed a silk handkerchief designed by her niece to illustrate the steps of the famous old dance. Each guest at the Cabinet dinner on Tuesday received one and a few in the company tried to follow directions at the conclusion of the program in the East Room.

Five couples on the small stage entertained others in the company while "Turkey in the Straw" was played on the new piano. Mrs. Roosevelt said the group included Miss Chaney and Mr. Fox, Hall Roosevelt and his daughter, Miss Eleanor Roosevelt, Mr. and Mrs. Barry Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Houghteling, Miss Mary Wollner and Roger Brett.

Press Women Inspect New East Room Piano

The piano, which was inspected by the press women at the close of yesterday's conference, is decorated with scenes depicting typical American dances, among them the Virginia Reel; and Mrs. Roosevelt thought it was appropriate to have the dance done at the first State function on which the piano was used.

"Ohs" and "ahs" punctuated talk among the press women as they admired the handsome piano that stands proudly on three magnificent gilded eagles and was especially designed for the East Room. The old piano, which has been sent to the museum, was given to the White House 30 years ago during Theodore Roosevelt's Administration.

The President and Mrs. Roosevelt will have with them for Christmas Mr. and Mrs. James Roosevelt and their two children; Mr. and Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, jr., and their baby; Diana Hopkins, 6-year-old daughter of Harry L. Hopkins, and the President's mother, Mrs. James Roosevelt, of New York.

Has Poet Among Luncheon Guests

A full calendar, as usual, is to be followed by the First Lady for the next few days. Yesterday she posed for photographs with the official Christmas seal of the Tuberculosis Association before her press conference. Later she entertained a small group at luncheon, having among her guests Mrs. Louis Oppenheimer, of London, wife of the managing director of the Diamond Corporation of South Africa. Mrs. Oppenheimer has made something of a name for herself as Carlotta, the poet. Others at the luncheon were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer and Lowell Mellett.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Roosevelt accompanied Mrs. James M. Helm to the destroyer The Helm, where they had tea, and later the First Lady went to the Madeira School to listen to a program of Christmas carols.

This evening the big item on the White House calendar is, of course, the diplomatic reception. Tomorrow's schedule is comparatively free. The annual Gridiron Widow's party will take place Saturday evening, and on the following day Sunday, the First Lady will attend a party for crippled children. Her next press conference is set for Monday at 11 o'clock.

George Marshalls And Molly Brown Feted at Party

The new deputy chief of staff, Brig. Gen. George C. Marshall, and Mrs. Marshall and her daughter, Miss Molly Brown, were entertained last night by Col. and Mrs. W. H. Walker by a dinner-dance at the Army-Navy Country Club.

Earlier in the evening the guests gathered at Col. and Mrs. Walker's Connecticut avenue apartment for cocktails before going on to the club.

Mrs. Walker was gowned in black velvet, fashioned with a slight train and a small jacket. Her accessories watched her gown and her slippers also were of black velvet. Mrs. Marshall wore ice blue satin, with pearl brocade bodice and accessories of pearl. Miss Brown was in wine colored crepe.

Party Planned

Miss Anne Donovan will be hostess at luncheon on Saturday for Miss Jeanne Biondi. The party will take place at the home of Miss Donovan's parents in Falls Church.

Plans Party For Saturday

Harris & Ewing.

Mrs. Bejamin S. Killmaster, with her husband, Commander Killmaster, U. S. N., will give an eggnog party on Saturday, celebrating their wedding anniversary. The Killmasters, who came to Washington in September, had previously lived in the Orient where he was in command of the U. S. S. Canopus. Their home is now in Arlington, Va.

Munillas Will Honor Envoy

The retiring Dominican Minister and Senora de Pastoriza, who expect to sail next month for London, the former's new post, will be honored at a dinner to be given on Monday by the Military Attache of the Cuban Embassy and Senora de Munilla.

Last evening the Minister and his wife were feted at a dinner held at the Shoreham Blue Room by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Grosner.

The Minister of Guatemala and Senora de Recinos were the ranking guests, and others present were the Minister of Nicaragua and Senora de De Bayle; the First Secretary of the Cuban Embassy, Dr. Roberto G. Mendoza; the Counselor of the Rumanian Legation and Mme. Boncesco; Dr. and Mrs. Oscar D. Albertini, Col. and Mrs. M. Robert Guggenheim, Maj. and Mrs. F. Mackenzie Davison, Dr. and Mrs. John J. Shugrue, Dr. and Mrs. Robert E. Moran, Dr. and Mrs. Tomas Cajigas, Dr. and Mrs. Charles H. McEnerney, Dr. and Mrs. L. Bryson Norris, Mr. and Mrs. Abner B. Drury, Mr. and Mrs. James Moran, Mrs. John Joslin, Miss Margarita Montero, and Mrs. Grosner's brother, Edward Kahn, of Baltimore.

Fairfax Randolphs Are Parents of Son

Mr. and Mrs. E. Fairfax Randolph are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son last Sunday. Mrs. Randolph is the former Miss Peggy Matheson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Matheson, of Wellington, Alexandria, Va.

Mrs. Bennett Clark Gives Luncheon For Mrs. Stark

Mrs. Bennett Champ Clark, wife of the Senator from Missouri, gave a small luncheon yesterday at the Mayflower in honor of Mrs. Lloyd C. Stark, wife of the Governor of that State, who, with her husband, is staying at the hotel for several days.

Today, Gov. Stark will attend a meeting of the executive committee of the Council of State Governments, and on Saturday evening will attend the Gridiron dinner. Last night he and Mrs. Stark attended a meeting of the Missouri Society.

William Phillips Sails for Italy

William Phillips, Ambassador to Italy, sailed from New York yesterday on the Rex to return to his post after several weeks in this country.

Also on the Rex are Mrs. Buchanan Merryman, aunt of the Duchess of Windsor, and Countess Natalie Vitetti, who has been visiting her father, W. R. Coe, of Long Island, and her brother, Robert Coe, of Washington.

Visitor From New York

Miss Sydney Thompson, of New York, will arrive tomorrow to visit the Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. Henry Morgenthau, jr. Before returning to New York she will also spend some time with Mrs. Arthur R. Forbush, who will entertain at an egg-nog party for her on Sunday afternoon.

Ellises Hosts At Reception

Wade H. Ellis, president of the Archeological Society of Washington, and Mrs. Ellis were hosts last evening at the 202d regular meeting of the society at Sulgrave Club.

Receiving with the host and hostess were Mrs. Mitchell Carroll, director of the society, and the guest of honor of the evening, Dr. Morley J. Williams, director of research and restoration at Mount Vernon.

Lectures on Mount Vernon

During the first part of the evening, Dr. Williams gave an illustrated lecture on "The Archeology of Mount Vernon." This was followed by a reception and buffet supper.

Among those on the guest list were the minister of the Union of South Africa and Mrs. Ralph William Close; the minister of the Dominican Republic and Senora de Pastoriza, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parsons Erwin, Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Benton, Mrs. Delos Blodgett, Mrs. F. Ward Denys, Gen. and Mrs. Bradford Devore, Mrs. Charles W. Fairfax, Ales Hrdlicka, Mrs. Robert S. McKenzie, Dr. Pedro Arcaya and Senora de Arcaya, Mrs. Truxtun Beale, Mrs. James M. Beck, Admiral and Mrs. William H. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Wrisley Brown, Miss Cornelia M. Bowie, Mrs. O. B. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Carroll, Mrs. Karl Casey and Miss Margaret Chase.

Cunibertis On the List

Others were Mrs. Willoughby Chesley, Mr. and Mrs. Fernando Cuniberti, Dr. and Mrs. George S. Duncan, Mrs. John C. Fremont, Miss Louise Hallett, Mr. and Mrs Emil Hurja, Mrs. Robert E. Lee 3d; Dr. Constantine McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Meem, Dr. and Mrs. Edward Meigs, Robert Lincoln O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. R. Ogilby, Judge and Mrs. William J. Price, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Proctor, Mrs. Thomas H. C. Reed, Baroness von Below, Mrs. Charles D. Walcott and Mrs. Joseph Washington.

Two Honor Guests Miss Cocktail Party

In honor of Mrs. Arthur Graham Glasgow and Mrs. George Mesta, of New York, both of whom were unable to be present, Ralph Snowden Hill entertained at a small cocktail party yesterday afternoon at his home in Georgetown.

The sudden illness of Mr. Glasgow in New York prevented the Glasgows from coming down for the party, and Mrs. Mesta is recuperating from a serious fall.

Julian Harrington Arrives in N. Y.

Julian Harrington has returned to the United States after a tour of duty of several months in South America, where he was sent by the State Department.

Mrs. Harrington, who has remained at their Georgetown home, met him in New York, and they are at the Waldorf-Astoria.

Off to California

Mrs. Donald Cameron Warfel and her son, Donald C. Warfel, jr., who have been the guests of Capt. and Mrs. John T. L. Donovan in Falls Church, are now on their way to their home in Los Angeles, where they will spend Christmas.

Lady Lindsay And Welleses Fete Edens

They Have Dinner and Tea at Embassy, With Luncheon at Oxon Hill

Yesterday was quite a social one for the busy Anthony Edens. They were entertained at tea and dinner by Lady Lindsay, wife of the British Ambassador, and were luncheon guests of the Undersecretary of State and Mrs. Sumner Welles at their estate in Oxon Hill, Md.

At the Embassy dinner were the Swedish Minister and Mme. Bostrom, the newly re-elected Senator from New Jersey, Warren Barbour, and Mrs. Barbour; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss, Norman Davis, chairman of the American Red Cross and former Ambassador at Large; the Chief of the European Division of the State Department and Mrs. Pierrepont Moffat, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Morley, the Charge d'Affaires of the Embassy and Mrs. Victor Mallet and Arthur Krock.

Also at the dinner were Mr. Eden's private secretary, Viscount Hinchingbrooke, and the Viscountess, and Ronald Tree and Sir Martyn Beckett, other members of the Eden party.

Guests at luncheon of Mr. and Mrs. Welles were Lady Lindsay, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, the Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. Henry Morgenthau, jr., the Secretary of Agriculture and Mrs. Henry A. Wallace, Senator and Mrs. Key Pittman, the United States Ambassador to France, William C. Bullitt; Norman Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Mallet.

Diplomat Feted By Mrs. Cowell

It's all done with mirrors—and flowers. At least it was last night, when Mrs. Thomas R. Cowell entertained at dinner at the 1925 F Street Club as a farewell to the Minister of Finland and Mme. Eero Jarnefelt. There were 52 guests and four tables—and—the tops of the tables were rolling ocean waves, cleverly fashioned with mirrors, white chrysanthemums, blue iris and talisman roses. At the crest of the largest wave of each ocean, sailed a wooden windjammer and surrounding it were numerous small china sailboats.

Each guest discovered that on his place card was a hand-painted scene of Finland. During the dinner, music from a harp and violin formed a sea-murmur undercurrent to the conversation. Later an orchestra took the spotlight and there was dancing far, far into the night.

Among the guests were Judge Frank Cox of Morgantown, W. Va., father of Mrs. Cowell, and Miss Elizabeth Jane Cox of the same city, Mrs. Cowell's niece. They came on to Washington last Monday especially for the dinner last night and the tea for the Jarnefelts which Mrs. Cowell gave last Tuesday afternoon. Judge Cox and Miss Cox will return today to Morgantown.

Dora Boyd Holds Luncheon to Honor Matilde Pastoriza

Senorita Dora Boyd, daughter of the Minister of Panama and Senora de Boyd, entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Mayflower in honor of Senorita Matilde Pastoriza, daughter of the Dominican Minister and Senora de Pastoriza, who will leave next month with her parents for their new post in London.

The guests yesterday included Senorita Erma Castillo Najera, daughter of the Mexican Ambassador and Senora de Castillo Najera; Senorita Laura Recinos, daughter of the Minister of Guatemala and Senora de Recinos; and the Misses Laurita de Alba, Amy and Martha Watts, Eleanor Campbell, Betty Loyd Hutchinson and Margarita Montero.

About The Town

With Dudley Harmon

THE "ELEANOR GLIDE" is much more elaborate than the Lambeth Walk and appears more difficult to learn, according to one guest at the White House on the evening of the Cabinet dinner. The beauty of the English dance is that it's so simple and conservative that even the dowagers can join in and still look dignified.

DUDLEY HARMON

Some of the guests, avid for Roosevelt souvenirs, pocketed not one, but two or three of the gaily colored handkerchiefs, embroidered with Virginia reel instructions, which the First Lady had placed in a bowl outside the East Room. She told everybody who liked the dance to take ONE.

HERE'S GOOD NEWS for the many friends of Mrs. Robert Low Bacon and no lady in official life had more than the widow of the late Representative Bacon. She plans to come to Washington shortly and will spend the winter at her home on F street, formerly the residence of three Chief Justices—Fuller, Marshall and Story.

It was feared that Mrs. Bacon would sell this house after the death of her husband last summer, but she plans to keep it. She is now at her home in Old Westbury, Long Island, after paying Washington a brief visit last week.

MEMBERS of the widely scattered Kirk family will shortly converge on Washington. Mrs. Alan Kirk, who has been on the West Coast with Capt. Kirk, will arrive December 30 and has taken an apartment for six months at the Woodward, on Connecticut avenue. Her pretty blonde daughter, Miss Marian Kirk, a debutante of last season, gets here tomorrow from Bryn Mawr. She has been making her home with her grandmother, Mrs. Frederic R. Chapin.

Several former Chicagoans were were holding a reunion yesterday at luncheon at the 1925 F Street Club. Mrs. Joseph Patterson, wife of the famous publisher; Mrs. Arthur Vandenberg, Mrs. Howard Ellis, Mrs. Louis Caldwell and Mrs. John (Genevieve Forbes) Herrick were all at a table together. Mrs. Vandenberg and Mrs. Herrick were formerly reporters for the Chicago Tribune. Mrs. Patterson came here from New York for the cabinet dinner.

Others at the club yesterday were Mrs. Wallach Merriam, with Mrs. Pearsons Rust, who wore a tiny hat topped with vari-colored ostrich plumes with her black dress, and Miss Marian Trumbull, with a large party of friends.

PARTY NOTES: Nancy Leiter is planning a large dinner December 27, the night of the dance at the White House for Eleanor Roosevelt . . . Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bruce Howe will entertain at dinner tomorrow evening at the picturesque Alibi Club for Miss Mary Drury . . . Debutante Adelaide Chatfield-Taylor will be honored at a similar party to be given Monday by Mrs. Higgins Chapin . . . Col. and Mrs. Edwin Watson will have friends dining with them before the Friday Supper Club dance and Princess Cantacuzene has a dinner scheduled for the same evening.

ANTHONY EDEN NOTE: We have just learned that the diplomat is an authority (of all things) on the Persian language.

GUESTS at Dolly Corbin's cocktail party yesterday gathered together and signed a round robin Christmas card to Ramon Padilla, former Secretary of the Spanish Embassy here, who is now representing Franco's interests in London.

Mrs. Mason Gulick's home, where Miss Corbin lives, was jammed, people sitting on the stairs and overflowing into the hall. It was all very gay. Among those present were Agnes Magruder, Nancy Brereton, Jock Merriam, Prince del Drago and the Marquis Capomazza, from the Italian Embassy; M. and Mme. Lucet, the Chilean Counselor and Senora de Huneeus, Mrs. Royce Powell, Mr. and Mrs. William Lacy, and many more.

Morrises Fete Brig. Gen. Short

Col. and Mrs. William H. H. Morris, jr., entertained last evening at a dinner dance at the Army-Navy Country Club in honor of Brig. Gen. Walter C. Short of Fort Hamilton, N. Y., and their guests, Maj. and Mrs. Walter C. Phillips, of Fort Hamilton.

Mrs. Morris wore a white satin dress made on princess lines, which set off her auburn hair. Mrs. Morris wore black velvet, with a full skirt and V-neck, and rhinestone accessories. There were 25 guests.

Ernestine Brown Wed to R. E. Day

At a quiet ceremony yesterday, Miss Ernestine Brown became the bride of Ralph E. Day, of Bridgeport, Conn. The wedding was performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred P. Shirley, at Mount Vernon, Va. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kent Brown, of Utica, Miss.

For several years, the former Miss Brown has been personnel director of the Washington Public Library. She is a graduate of George Washington University and the Pratt Institute of Library Science.

Notes of Society

Official and Residential

Representative Arthur B. Jenks of New Hampshire is at the Raleigh.

Representative and Mrs. Charles A. Plumly of Vermont have taken an apartment at 2929 Connecticut avenue for the season.

Representative Robert F. Rich, of Woolrich, Pa., is at the Wardman Park Hotel for several days.

Representative James A. O'Leary, of New York is at the Carlton.

Miss Katherine Lenroot, Director of the Children's Bureau of the Department of Labor, is at the Barbizon Plaza Hotel in New York.

Mrs. Armstead Davis is at the Carlyle in New York for the winter.

Mrs. Evalyn Walsh McLean has returned after a stay at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York.

Mrs. David Dennis and her brother, Clarence Morrow, of Washington and Pittsburgh, have taken Camp Kettle in Paget, Bermuda, for the winter. They have as their guest there Mrs. Anne Pette Varney, of Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. James McKenna, of Pelham Manor, N. Y., are at the Hotel Roosevelt.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Eben Burnside, who have been spending several weeks at the Shoreham, entertained guests at cocktails there yesterday. They will leave today for their ranch in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lucy, of Richmond, are at the Hotel Raleigh for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Colton are occupying their new home at 309 West Bradley lane, Chevy Chase, Md.

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Women Will Study League Health Work

Mrs. Beggs, of General Club Federation, Tells of Program Of Inquiry Into Basic Issues

By Jessie Ash Arndt,
The Post Club Editor.

Subjects such as the health and welfare work carried on through the League of Nations will be included in the study program of the Department of International Relations of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, according to Mrs. Frederic Beggs, of Paterson, N. J., newly-appointed department chairman. Mrs. Beggs, who spent yesterday in Washington, conferring at headquarters with Mrs. Saidie Orr Dunbar, the national president, pointed to the obvious difficulty in outlining a three-year study program when the international picture changes daily.

"There are certain basic matters of human welfare on which nations co-operate even in the time of such international difficulties as we face today, and these deserve study as well as the points of divergence," said Mrs. Beggs.

"The General Federation, at its triennial convention, passed a resolution calling for legislation which would permit this Government discretion in dealing with treaty-breaking nations through embargoes which would not penalize the victim, and including not only implements of war, but also raw materials. It likewise indorsed the reciprocal trade treaties and condemned Fascist, Nazi and Communist propaganda—anything tending to divide the loyalty of American citizens.

"With these as a basis, we must think from the standpoint of long-time objectives—a world where some form of co-operation between nations in an effort to maintain justice, law and order must be worked out. Each issue and its solution must be weighed to see whether it will take us closer to the goal or remove us further from it.

"In our study of this country's course, we must be realistic and view it with relation to the world as it is. We must determine where the United States should lead and then do everything in our power to see that she does it."

Dorothy Thompson's "Political Guide" is being used as a text for a suggested study program, she said.

Mrs. Beggs did not advocate that club women should necessarily go out campaigning but that they should be thoroughly informed and wield their influence "through the means their various organizations have chosen, to accomplish certain ends." Those who do not desire to take active part can use their influence "around the dinner table and with their children," she said.

She urged "flexible thinking, based on principle," asserted that this country, whether it desired to or not, must take the lead in international co-operation, and expressed the opinion that the hope of peace was in Anglo-American co-operation.

French Alliance In Washington Will Meet Dec. 19

The Alliance Francaise of Washington will hold its second meeting of the season on Monday, December 19, at 4:30 o'clock at the Sulgrave Club, when Mme. Monnier Betti, violoncellist of the Paris Conservatoire, will be heard in a conference-concert before the French Ambassador, leaders in Washington society, diplomats, professors and students, all members of the Alliance Francaise.

Mme. Monnier-Betti, before playing the numbers, will give a sketch of the composers' lives and reactions leading to the compositions.

Mme. Betti has been heard several times in Washington and the members of the alliance are looking forward to her coming.

'No-Host' Dinner Party

The officers of the faculty, and the student officers and their wives, of the Army Industrial College, entertained each other and themselves at a no-host dinner party last evening at the Army-Navy Country Club.

Sisterhood Sponsors Annual Gift Luncheon

Post Staff Photo.

The largest Chanukah gift luncheon in the history of Adas Israel Sisterhood was given yesterday at the Mayflower Hotel. Left to right are Mme. Louis Logrono and Dr. Logrono, counselor of the Dominican Legation, and Mrs. Fannie Tashof, president of the sisterhood

Sisterhood Has Gift Luncheon

Several hundred members and guests of Adas Israel Sisterhood yesterday afternoon attended the fifth annual Chanukah gift luncheon of the organization, proceeds from which amounted to $2,500. It was given in the ballroom of the Mayflower, with Mrs. Morris Gewirz as general chairman and Mrs. Fannie Tashof, retiring president, presiding.

Following the luncheon, Dr. Louis Logrono, counselor of the Dominican Legation, who, with Mme. Logrono was guest of honor, spoke on his country, which he called the cradle of the new world and a place where there are no differences of race, creed or color.

After his talk, a series of tableaux was presented under the direction of Mrs. David Kushner, entitled, "Five Milestones in a Boy's Life," by Althea O. Silverman. In the first scene, "Cradle Days," Mrs. I. E. Levinson, newly elected president of the sisterhood, had the role of the mother. In the second, Alvin Rodis was the schoolboy, Mrs. Levinson the mother, and Mrs. Henry Gichner the father. In the third, Bernard Gewirz was the Bar Mitzvah boy. In the fourth, Stanley Ostrow took the part of the college graduate, Mrs. Gichner that of the college president, Mrs. Levinson again the mother, and Mrs. Joseph Zupnik the graduate's sweetheart.

The fifth scene was the wedding, in which members of the bridal party marched through an aisle marked off down the center of the ballroom. Mrs. Maurice Bisgyer took the part of the cantor; Mrs. Zupnik, Mrs. Norman Kal, Mrs. I. A. Peake, Mrs. Maurice Goldberg, Mrs. Charles Walker, Mrs. Leo Schlosberg, Mrs. Frank Levy and Mrs. Herman Becker were the bridesmaids; Mrs. Stanley Wiener the maid of honor; Mrs. Alex Rosenblum the bride's mother; Mrs. Louis Janof the best man; Mrs. Marye Narcisenfeld the bridegroom, and Mrs. Stanley Korman the bride.

Little Allen Levinson was the ring-bearer; Virginia Wilner, Joan Levy and Beverly Kluft flower girls, and Joan Carol Ostrow, Carol Gewirz and Barbara Ann Goldberg train-bearers.

Presidents of the other Jewish women's organizations in the city were guests at the head table and were introduced by Mrs. Tashof. She also mentioned the presence of Mrs. Nathan Blendman and her five daughters.

Those who assisted Mrs. Gewirz on the luncheon committee were Mrs. Maxwell Ostrow, Mrs. Mary Ehrlich, chairman of the rummage store; Mrs. David Feldman, Mrs. Simon Davis, Mrs. Harris Epstein, Mrs. Hyman Garfinkle, Mrs. David Herson, Mrs. Moses Bobys, Mrs. Edward Applebaum, Mrs. Hyman Berman, Mrs. Edward C. Ostrow, Mrs. Louis Rodis and Mrs. Morris Stein.

Yule Cheer for Children At Curley Club Party

Next Sunday afternoon from 2 to 4 the Curley Club will hold a Christmas party for the infants and children of St. Anne's Infant Asylum, at 2300 K street northwest. Arrangements for the party are being handled by Miss Agnes Bayer.

Plans are being made also for the club's own Christmas party, which will be held after the meeting Tuesday, December 20, at the Continental Hotel. A play entitled "Christmas Finds Everybody Satisfied" will be presented, under the direction of Miss Kathryn Bowers. The newly-formed choral group will make its debut, conducted by Harry X. Walsh. Miss Gertrude Connor is in charge of arrangements for the party.

St. Andrews to Give Annual Turkey Dinner

St. Andrews Episcopal Church will have its annual turkey dinner this evening in the recreation hall from 5:30 to 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. J. J. Wilder is head of the affair and Mrs. Thomas Cajigas is chairman of the serving table.

She will be assisted by Mrs. Alfred Toombs, Miss Anita Cajigas, Miss Theresa Toombs, Miss Louise Hoover and Miss Anna W. Archibald. Miss Miriam Volkman Tomas and Paul Cajigas will be in charge of the cloakroom.

There will be a grab-bag, a white elephant table and a sale of homemade candy.

Madame Chairman

By Suzanne.

MRS. JEAN BENNETT, superintendent of the Central Union Mission and founder of the Children's Emergency Home, yesterday was elected president of the Soroptimist Club, of which she has long been a member. She succeeds Mrs. Agnes Newman and, with the other new officers, will be installed January 7 at a banquet at the Washington Hotel.

The election, in which the slate of officers went through without opposition, took place at the luncheon meeting of the club in

Kesslere Photo.
MRS. JEAN BENNETT

the Cabinet room of the Willard.

Other officers are Mrs. Laura Waters, first vice president; Miss Helen Barnhart, second vice president; Miss Emma A. Buechele, recording secretary; Miss Augusta Uhl, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Emily Shah, treasurer; Miss Grace Goodpasture and Mrs. Marie Tedrow, directors.

The club's annual Christmas party, to which members will bring toys for Children's Hospital, will be held in connection with next Wednesday's luncheon at the Willard.

MRS. HENRY M. ROBERT, JR., president general of the D. A. R., will deliver a Christmas message at 11:15 a. m. Wediesday over WOL on a program sponsored by the District D. A. R. It will include carols, sung by Mrs. J. Frank Rice, accompanied by Mrs. James Shera Montgomery, who is organist for the D. A. R. congress.

YESTERDAY Miss Etta Mai Russell, juvenile court worker for the Woman's Council of the Washington Federation of Churches, was guest speaker at the Zonta Club luncheon, describing the Christmas alley project, the "toy truck" which provides the alley children with playthings in the summer and other work of the council.

Today Miss Russell is in charge of the council's radio broadcast over WJSV in connection with the alley program's Christmas eve, assisted by Miss Gabower, of the Juvenile Court, Miss Mary Wingate and Mrs. Ellis Cook. The Post, Hardie Meakin of RKO-Keith's Theater and WJSV have co-operated in the Christmas plans.

TO GO BACK to Zonta, Ruth Sheldon, one of its members, is leaving this week-end for her home in Lincoln, Nebr., to spend Christmas, and Mrs. Frances Gutelius Smith and her husband sail next week for a Christmas cruise to Guatemala, Honduras and Cuba.

Miss Emma T. Hahm, Zonta president, will be hostess to the members at their annual Christmas party next Thursday night, and consequently there will be no luncheon meeting Wednesday.

Mrs. Perry Leads P.-T. A. Guidance of Children

Psychologist Works to Bridge Gap Between 'We-Are-Equal' Theory and the Fact Every Person Has Different Capabilities

By Christine Sadler.

While a child is yet in kindergarten his guidance as an individual and a personality should begin, in the opinion of Mrs. Mildred Percy, child psychologist for the Washington schools and chairman of guidance for the District Congress of Parents and Teachers.

A good guidance program, Mrs. Percy declares, will bridge the gap between democracy's declaration that "we all are equal" and the hard and fast fact that every person has different capabilities and different interests from others.

"Guidance in the school is not a fad nor frill, but merely a new emphasis. It serves to prevent maladjustments and to correct them after they have been brought about. The maladjustment may be a physical one caused by such things as nearsightedness or impaired hearing, or it may be an emotional or a social one caused by something just as definite," she says.

MRS. MILDRED PERCY

"It looks toward the optimum development of the individual in the light of his capacities. A big step forward in guidance was taken when the grade cards of students began to represent their efforts not as competition with other students, but with themselves."

One of the main by-products of guidance, Mrs. Percy declares, is the spirit of co-operation aroused in the pupil when he grasps the competition-with-self idea. Although all guidance looks toward the much-worked "preparation for life," actual talk about preparation for a vocation should usually await the secondary school years, she feels.

Mrs. Percy, who is also president of the Guidance and Personnel Association of the District of Columbia, has been chairman of the P.-T. A. guidance committee for two years. She considers the association a potent and important factor in the school life of today.

"It would be impossible for us to carry on a guidance program unless we could work hand in hand with the home. An understanding between the teacher and the parent is absolutely essential to any development procedure," she says.

A native of New Orleans, Mrs. Percy has lived in Washington for 14 years. Her principal hobby, perhaps, is "the co-ordination of effort." She is enthusiastic over the work the Guidance and Personnel Association has done in co-ordinating guidance effort in the District. "We learned that between 40 and 50 organizations were giving guidance advice here," she says. "We invited them all to meet with us and let us survey the situation and then we volunteered to serve as a clearing house."

The association has just completed a survey of the vocational opportunities in Washington and has also just presented a program of guidance to Dr. Frank W. Ballou, asking its incorporation into the District school curriculum—two other facts in which Mrs. Percy is extremely proud.

Junior Alliance Officers Are Installed Here

New officers of the Junior Alliance, organized under the sponsorship of the Housekeepers' Alliance, were installed yesterday afternoon at the December meeting of the senior organization, held at the home of Mrs. Maurice Collins, 5618 Nevada avenue. The junior officers, headed by Mrs. William Hessick, jr., were inducted with a ceremony prepared and conducted by Mrs. Frederic Newburgh, president of the Alliance.

Other junior officers included Mrs. J. P. Conger, first vice president; Mrs. Sam R. Smith, second vice president; Miss Mary Bowen, third vice president; Miss Annie Lee Chisholm, treasurer; Mrs. Sam R. Smith, recording secretary; Mrs. Woodson T. Birthright, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Yvonne Knapp, chairman of the flag.

Miss Vella A. Winner, director of publicity for the General Federation of Women's Clubs, presented a flag to Mrs. Knapp for the juniors in behalf of the Alliance. The chaplain, Mrs. Sarah Nevins, read a prayer which had been written by Mrs. Newburgh for the occasion.

It was voted at the business meeting of the senior organization to affiliate directly with the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. Jennie Esmond Wright was speaker of the afternoon, describing her visit to the Holy Land and talking on the first Christmas. She wore a shepherd's costume such as is worn in that section, and Mrs. Herbert G. Powell wore the costume of a woman of Jerusalem. Christmas carols were sung a cappella by Mrs. Ruth Snodgrass, soprano, and Mrs. Roberta Stinemeyer, alto.

Miss Janet Richards, an Alliance member, speaker last month, was also present yesterday and, at the request of the president, spoke briefly on the Lima conference. Mrs. Frederick H. Warren of the American Red Cross, also described peacetime work of that organization.

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Ruth Etting Elopes With Alderman

'Col. Gimp,' Stunned, Wishes Them 'All the Happiness in the World'

By the Associated Press.

Los Angeles, Dec. 14.—The surprise elopment of Singer Ruth Etting and her former accompanist, Myrl Alderman, stole most of the interest today from the trial of her former husband and manager, Martin (Col. Gimp) Snyder, on charges of attempting to murder Alderman last October.

The blonde singer and Alderman flew early today to Las Vegas, Nev., where they were married.

Rouse Clerk From Bed

The 44-year-old Snyder at first could not believe news of the wedding. Finally he said:

"If it's true that they are married, then from the bottom of my heart I want to wish them all the happiness in the world. I mean that."

Miss Etting and Alderman arrived at Las Vegas at 7:30 a. m. roused the county clerk from bed to obtain a license and were married shortly after 9 o'clock. Miss Etting gave her age as 37 and Alderman his as 30.

Among the witnesses was Snyder's 21-year-old daughter by a previous marriage, Edith Snyder, who is Miss Etting's secretary.

Alderman's Wife Suing

Snyder is accused of shooting and slightly wounding Alderman at Alderman's North Hollywood home in the presence of his daughter and Miss Etting. Miss Snyder has testified she fired at her father after he shot Alderman. Snyder also is charged with attempting to kill the two women, who had gone to the home to prepare Alderman's dinner.

Alderman's divorce from his second wife became final last week. She is suing Miss Etting for $150,000 damages, charging the singer stole Alderman's love.

Alderman and Miss Etting appeared in court for the afternoon session, sitting apart in the last row of the spectators' section.

At the trial today, Virginia de Marteau, a masseuse, testified she heard Snyder say last August, "If what I think is true, I'm going to kill Ruth and Alderman."

Mrs. Harold Kaiser said Snyder declared in a night club a week before the shooting that he was "going to get Ruth," but did not mention designs on anyone else. Under cross-examination, she said Snyder was drinking at the time.

On the day preceding the night of the shooting, Mrs. Maxine McKinley testified, Snyder refused an invitation to listen to football broadcasts with her and her husband, telling them "I've got business with that Etting dame tonight."

Policeman Changes Story

Under cross-examination of Defense Counsel Jerry Giesler, Policeman B. M. Johnson denied Snyder had told him shortly after the shooting that "Alderman took a shot at me." Geisler then produced records to show Johnson testified to this effect before the grand jury.

"I guess I forgot," Johnson said.

"Then maybe it is possible Snyder said Alderman attempted to take a shot at him," suggested Giesler, emphasizing the word attempted. "Is that right?"

Johnson said "No."

Giesler previously had indicated Snyder would plead self-defense.

Ruth Etting and Alderman Elope

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

In the middle of the trial of Martin Snyder, her former husband, for the attempted slaying of her accompanist, Myril Alderman, Singer Ruth Etting and Alderman eloped yesterday to Las Vegas, Nev. They are shown after their return to Los Angeles

Markward Chosen Civitan President

George Markward, District manager of Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co., Tuesday was elected president of the Civitan Club at its annual dinner meeting in the Mayflower.

Other new officers are Tom Hopper, first vice president; Dr. Gene Merriman, second vice president; John Hardell, third vice president. Members of the board of directors were chosen for three years. They are Shelton Cameron, Ashby Leeth and Dr. Grant Barnhart.

The Garden Club committee reported on its arrangements for a Christmas party, to be held Friday, December 23, for the 95 members of the Boys' Garden Club.

Mgr. Sheen Named Beneficiary in Will Of Mrs. Macaulay

New York, Dec. 14 (AP).—Mrs. Mrs. Genevieve Brady Macaulay, Roman Catholic churchwoman, who died in Rome recently, named a number of Catholic institutions and charities as beneficiaries in her will, filed for probate today.

She left $1,000,000 to her husband, William J. B. Macaulay, envoy of the Irish Free State to the Vatican. The size of the estate was not disclosed.

She also left generous legacies to relatives and friends, among whom were Cardinal Pacelli, secretary of state at the Vatican, and Mgr. Fulton Sheen, of Catholic University, Washington.

Dedication Of Girls' School Set Tomorrow

Ceremonies to Feature Occupational Education Conference Here

Keys to the new $336,000 Dennison Vocational School, the District's newest advance in occupational education, will be turned over to school authorities tomorrow at 8 p. m. at dedication ceremonies in the school auditorium, Thirteenth and Allison streets northwest.

The dedication and inspection of the new school, which will be for girls only, will highlight a two-day regional conference on occupational education tomorrow and Saturday at the Willard Hotel, called by Superintendent of Schools Frank W. Ballou and organized under auspices of the National Occupational Conference of New York City.

Msr. Henry Gattan Doyle, president of the Board of Education, will preside at dedication exercises and Lieut. Col David McCoach, jr., District Engineer Commissioner, will present keys to the building to Dr. Ballou and Miss Mary Lackey, who will be principal of the school.

Dr. Edwin A. Lee, director of the NNational Occupational Conference and professor of vocational education at Teachers College, Columbia University, and Miss Bess Goodykoontz, assistant commissioner, U. S. Office of Education will speak.

The new school, expected to open after the Christmas holidays, will accommodate about 300 white girls. Everything from beauty culture to training in homemaking and academic subjects will be taught.

The conference on occupational education called by Dr. Ballou is to show school superintendents from other metropolitan cities along the Atlantic Coast what is being done in vocational education in Washington. Dr. Lee will open the conference tomorrow at 9:30 a. m. with a discussion of "Guidance." Superintendents Paul L. Loser, of Trenton, N. J.; David E. Weglein, of Baltimore, and Ben G. Graham, of Pittsburgh, will speak during the conference.

Youngest Lawyer In District Wins Admission to Bar

Philip J. Bassford, former Senate page boy, Tuesday became the District's youngest attorney when he was admitted to the bar. Philip was 21 on December 2.

The youth, who lives at 2063 Park road northwest, was graduated from Columbus University last June and shortly afterwards passed the bar exams in his first trial. Although other successful candidates were admitted to practice in District Court and United States Court of Appeals October 11, Bassford had to wait since he was not yet the required 21 years of age.

District Bible Class Group Hears Pastor

The Rev. H. P. Wilson, pastor of Columbia Heights Christian Church, Tuesday told members of the District Organized Bible Class Association that this year marked the translation of the Bible into 1,000 languages.

The group elected Howard Stackhouse national councilor of the National Federation of Men's Bible Classes.

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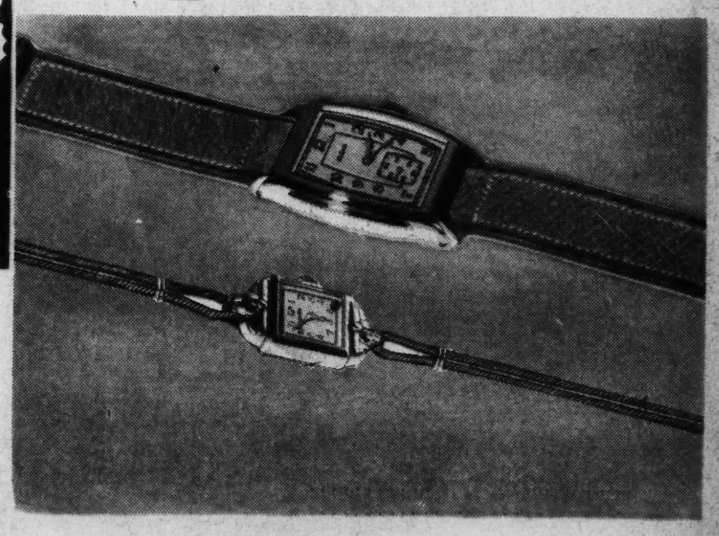

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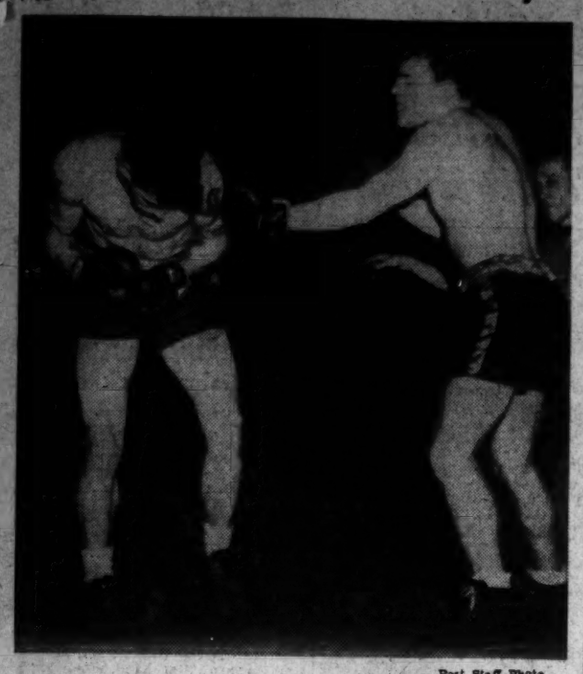

Post Staff Photo.

Jim Brady, of Georgetown defeated George Ryan, of Fort Myer, last night in the annual amateur tournament at Turner's Arena but he doesn't look imposing in this picture, taken at the height of the action. Ryan, left, wards off one of Brady's lefts with his shoulder

This Morning

With Shirley Povich

National Steals Show

New York, Dec. 14.—Much to be preferred—and not nearly as laughable—are the National League's methods of doing business at these winter trade meetings. In sharp contrast to the gum-shoeing American Leagues, the National League people are rough-and-ready folks, willing to wade in and swap talent on the bases of every man for himself.

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The National League bosses don't go in for the serio-comic soft-shoe stuff and corner-peering tactics that reduce the American Leaguers' trading sessions to a cheap parody on a correspondence school detectives' class. National leaguers invite trades. They don't lurk in the shadows, fearing they'll be sandbagged with an offer to make some kind of a deal.

So it's no wonder that the National League annually steals the show at the winter meetings. Already they have engineered three deals involving a dozen players, while the American League has timidly trifled with the idea of swapping somebody. The lone trade to the credit of the American League thus far has been the Zeke Bonura affair, and the Giants, a National League club, happened to be a party to that one, else the A. L. would still have a score of .000 for the meeting.

They're forthright about it, these National Leaguers. They shove their cards on the table and ask for a deal. There was the Joe Stripp-Fred Frankhouse trade of last night, for example. There may be some truth to the report that six American League owners swooned when they heard how that one developed.

Happened at Dinner

It happened late in the evening at a dinner given for National League club owners and managers. The celery and olives had scarcely disappeared when red-headed Larry McPhail, general manager of Brooklyn, said, "Gentlemen, I propose a deal of some kind. Everybody put the name of a ball player into a hat and we'll draw. Nobody can get hurt much, and it'll be exciting, at least."

Branch Rickey, of the St. Louis Cardinals, balked that plan after a half-dozen managers had agreed. But Rickey's negative gesture was nevertheless colorful, in the best National League traditions. "I wouldn't make a trade with the Cincinnati people if they offered me Vander Meer for Joe Dokes," said Rickey. "I promised myself I'd never do any more business with Cincinnati."

But McPhail was not to be stumped. "Somebody's got to make a trade tonight and give the reporters a little action. Who'll give me what for Fred Frankhouse, my pitcher."

Bob Quinn, of the Bees, said he'd swap Infielder Joe Stripp for Frankhouse.

"It's a deal," said McPhail. "Never mind the papers. Come here, Bob, I'll seal it with a kiss" and, nothing loath, he shuffled to his feet and pecked at the forehead of the venerable Quinn.

That was National League stuff, the kind that has given the league a personality in contrast to the smug, self-sufficiency of the American Leaguers who, to be blunt about it, are scared stiff that they will make the wrong kind of trade.

Situation a Paradox

The situation, in fact, is a paradox. It should be the American Leaguers who are doing the bulk of the trading at these winter meetings. With the Yankees making a joke of the pennant races, the A. L. is a lop-sided, unbalanced circuit, which needs a bit of free-style swapping to prevent continuation of the farce.

Profits that are there for the taking are being sacrificed by the A. L. Club owners in their unwillingness to trade. The waning months of the last two seasons have been lean ones due to the Yankees' runaway tactics. Attendance has taken a sharp drop. The National League, in contrast, has

See POVICH, Page 28, Column 1.

Jack Clagett Outpoints Bill Kekeris

Wins Feature Bout Of Amateur Event Before Capacity Crowd of 2,200

By Jack Munhall.

The Golden Gloves boxing tournament moved into the final round at Turner's Arena last night before the fourth capacity crowd in as many weeks. More than 1,000 persons were turned away.

Six senior and 11 novice bouts were on the program which produced perhaps the most exciting groups of amateur fights ever seen in the annual event.

From the opening fight until the final, some 2,200 fans all but raised the roof with tremendous ovations for one and then another gallant youngster who fought his heart out for the sheer joy of combat.

Most of the cheers were for Jackie Clagett, National Boxing Club lightweight, who registered a smashing majority decision over Billy Kekeris, National Guardsman, after one of the wildest, most thrilling barroom brawls Washington has ever witnessed.

Blood-smeared, and often groggy from brutal punches which they exchanged the entire three rounds, the two well matched contenders for Carroll Wright's 135-pound championship had the crowd in a constant uproar from start to finish.

How either boy managed to walk out of the ring under his own power will always remain a mystery. Kekeris scored the only knockdown, bouncing a left hook off Clagett's jaw in the second round. Clagett, however, immediately climbed to his feet, declining to take the nine count allowed him, and came back to gain a clear edge by virtue of a vicious two-fisted attack and a low blow by Kekeris.

The third was Clagett's best round, for it was then that he removed all lingering doubts as to the final verdict. Crossing hard lefts to the stomach and jabbing hard with his right, the stockily built pupil of Syd Fischel drove Kekeris from one side of the ring to the other and at the final bell had him hanging on for dear life.

Cosidering that it was the semi-final bracket, in which contestants usually are evenly matched, there was an abundance of knockouts, seven in all, six of them of the technical variety.

Quickest kayo of the card and also the quickest of the tournament to date was registered by Billy Nolan, National Guard heavyweight, who chilled Leon Miller, of Fort Myer, in 20 seconds. Second in

See GLOVES, Page 27, Column 3.

Nats, Yanks Open Season Here April 17

Athletics, Indians To Play Seven Night Games; Cardinals Sell Bill Walker

Special Dispatch to The Post.

New York, Dec. 14.—Major happenings at the major league meeting today:

1. The American League decided to open its season April 17 in Washington and close Sunday, October 1. The Yankees will meet the Nats in Washington on opening day.

The following day all the teams will swing into action with Boston at New York, Washington at Philadelphia, Chicago at Detroit and Cleveland at St. Louis.

Chicago, Cleveland and Boston will have their openers April 21 with the Browns meeting the White Sox, Tigers tangling with the Indians, and the Athletics invading the Red Sox home park. On the same day the Yankees will be at Washington.

2. The American League today ended its fight against night baseball when the club owners gave Cleveland and Philadelphia permission to play seven games under the lights next year.

3. The Chicago Cubs announced today they had sold Herman (Coaker) Triplett, an outfielder, to Columbus of the American Association. Triplett was with the Cubs at the start of last season but saw little action. The sale was announced at the major league meetings here.

Ben Chapman Traded To Cleveland

New York, Dec. 14 (AP).—Eddie Collins, general manager of the Boston Red Sox, announced tonight he had traded Ben Chapman, veteran outfielder, to the Cleveland Indians for Pitcher Dennis Galehouse and Infielder Tom Irwin.

4. The American League awarded Jimmy Foxx, of the Boston Red Sox, $500 as the leading batter of the circuit.

5. The National League joined with the American in deciding to open the 1939 season with one game on April 17 and a full schedule the following day. Pittsburgh will open the season at Cincinnati and on the 18th the Pirates will entertain the Cardinals, with New York at Brooklyn, Philadelphia at Boston and Cincinnati at Chicago.

6. Southpaw Bill Walker, former New York Giants and St. Louis Cardinals pitcher, today was sold by Sacramento of the Pacific Coast League to Seattle in the same circuit. The deal was announced by the Cardinals, parent club of Sacramento, at the major league meetings.

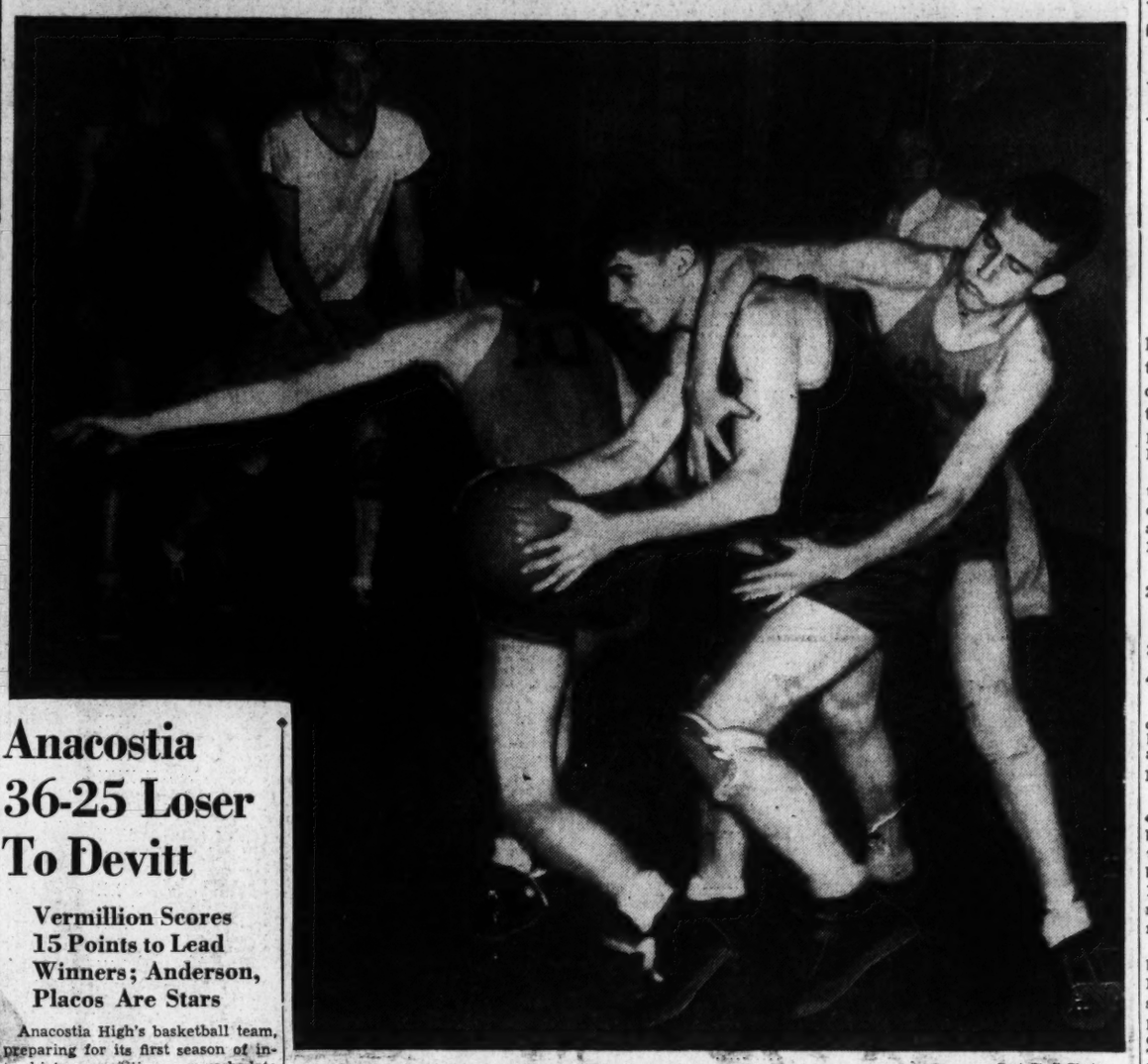
7. George Jeffcoat, right-handed pitcher, today was sold by the Brooklyn Dodgers to Montreal of the International League in a straight cash transaction.

8. The American eLague voted to permit each club to make its own deals in selling radio rights for games, although conduct of the broadcasts is governed by league rules. This is the same system already prevailing in the national circuit. At tomorrow's joint meeting, the 16 clubs are expected to sign an agreement to prevent cut-throat competition in broadcasting games.

9. The National League recom-

See MAJORS, Page 28, Column 4.

Vermillion Sees Red in Anacostia-Devitt Game



Post Staff Photo.

You can pardon Billy Vermillion if he saw red yesterday in this bit of action in the Anacostia-Devitt game yesterday at Anacostia. Vermillion is the fellow fighting to keep the ball in this unusual basketball action shot and the action occurred in the fourth quarter

Anacostia 36-25 Loser To Devitt

Vermillion Scores 15 Points to Lead Winners; Anderson, Placos Are Stars

Anacostia High's basketball team, preparing for its first season of inter-high competition, succumbed to the fast and experienced cagemen of Devitt Prep yesterday on the Indian floor, 36-25.

A former star at McKinley High, Jimmy Vermillion led the Preppers to their first victory of the season and proved his All-High rating of two years ago was not misplaced. Vermillion totaled 15 points, 7 of them from the foul line. He was closely followed in the scoring department by Lenny Stanton, another former All-High performer with Western. Stanton scored five field goals.

Devitt was away to a slow start in its triumph over the Anacostia youngsters. It held but a 7-4 lead after the first eight-minute session, and at half-time held an 8-point margin, 21-13. Stanton and his brother, Charley Stanton, along with Vermillion, led the Prep attack.

Despite the width of the margain at halftime, Coach Julian Colangelo expressed gratification at the way his Anacostia club had functioned. He seconded his own satisfaction after the game was over. Johnny Placos and Lambert Anderson, the young Indians upon whom Colangelo had placed his hopes for a victory, turned in respectable efforts, each totalling six points and starring in Anacostia's scrappy defense. The shortest man on the Prep five, Bill Kemp, was slightly taller than Anacostia's tallest player, Anderson.

Devitt deserved more than a little credit for turning back a hard-fighting quintet. The eight points

See ANACOSTIA, Page 28, Col. 1.

Both Loops To Use Same Baseball

Changes to Help Pitchers, Backed By Griffith, Are Approved

By Shirley Povich.

A Staff Correspondent.

New York, Dec. 14.—Empty-handed in his hunt for pitching talent, Clark Griffith turned to official American League affairs today and steered four of his pet proposals to adoption by the league.

The new regulations, fostered by the white-haired Washington club owner and approved by the league, are:

1. A changed stance on the rubber which is to be optional with the pitcher.
2. Elimination of the double-play caused by the deliberate dropping of a ball by infielders and outfielders.
3. Less frequent stubstitutions of new balls during a game.
4. A heavier-stitched and uniform ball for both leagues.

Griffith argued long for all four changes. Two of them—the optional heavier stitched ball he designed as aids to the pitchers.

More Leverage Seen

Under the new regulations, pitchers will not be forced to stand with both feet on the rubber, but have the option of swinging one foot back before starting their delivery. More leverage and consequently more speed on the ball will be the result, Griffith declares.

The new ball to be adopted jointly by both big leagues is the current National League ball. Its wider stitches afford a better grip for the pitchers and will make for more effective hurling, Griffith contended. The slightly thicker cover of the National League ball does not affect the distance it can be hit, tests made by Griffith in co-operation with the United States Bureau of Standards, have shown.

"This has been a hitters' league for too long," said Griffith, a former star of big league mounds. "It is time that we take some steps to help the pitching. I believe these two rules will do it.

Less frequent substitutions of new balls during the game will also aid the pitching, said the Nats' owner. "As soon as a ball is soiled now, they throw it out. The pitcher can't get the same good grip on a new ball. Our umpires will get instructions to refuse to throw in new balls unless the ball in use is actually marred."

Griff Stadium Episode

An episode at Griffith Stadium last season caused Griffith to carry into today's league meeting his fight to eliminate the double-play engineered by deliberate dropping of a fly ball by an outfielder.

On that occasion, with runners on first and second base, a short fly to center field was purposely dropped by Earl Averill; the runners, thinking Averill would make the catch, held close to their bases, and Averill's throw to second started a double play. Because the ball was dropped, the man on second was no longer entitled to hold that base and was tagged out while standing on the bag. The man who had been on first was no longer entitled to hold that bag, which belonged to the batter, and he was tagged out as he vainly tried to reach second.

"The base runners had no protection when an outfielder chose to drop a short fly," said Griffith. "Something had to be done."

Thus was passed the rule making all deliberately dropped fly balls automatic outs. But in today's meeting the rule was made even more far-reaching. It was made to apply as well to line drives deliberately dropped by infielders in an attempt to start double plays.

The judgment of the umpire will prevail in determining whether a ball was purposedly dropped by a fielder. If the umpire has "reasonable belief" that the ball was deliberately dropped, then the batter is automatically out.

Sealtest Sets Record In Dairy Pin League

Rolls 629 Game at Georgetown; 3 Marks At Chevy Chase Alleys; Takoma Billiards Win Three Games; Window Cleaners Victors

Sealtest's pin rocking quintet in the Chestnut Farms-Chevy Chase Dairy League set an all-time league mark last night, a team game of 629, at the Georgetown Recreation Alleys.

Sealtest also had a 1,631 team set while Al Gray led the individual scorers with a 145 game and L. Kidwell had the top set of 366.

Gray's game topped the Sealtests, while others assisting in the record total included Kidwell with 131, Hilton 123, Tracy 119 and Lutz, 111.

Business Machines Win 3-Game Set

International Business Machines swept a three-game set from Holbrook Dairy in the Friendship League at Silver Spring, topped by Jimmy Boteler's 365 game and Carroll Simpson's 345 set. Wakefield Dairy won the odd tilt from Shepherd Park Wine & Liquor, while A. & W. won all three over President's Valet, with All Burroughs high with a 334 game.

Petworth Bowlers Beat York Service

Petworth defeated York Service Station by a 2-to-1 margin in the Peworth League, while Foller's Plumbers dropped two to Kuchner's Sea Food, but retained their league lead.

Takoma Billiards Beat Old Milwaukee

Takoma Billiards swept a set from Old Milwaukee in the Takoma Duckpin Association, while Youngblood Hardware did the same over Takoma Motors. Form Stone won all three from Stevens' Decorators and Blanks won the odd one from Northeast Temple. Dutch Sherbahn's 139 game and Shepherd's 398 set were individual highs.

Cleaners Top Recreation Loop

In one of the most hectic pin races in years, the American Window Cleaning Co. rollers moved into first place in the Recreation Bowling League when the Cleaners swept their set from the Tucci's Plumbers last night at Recreation Alleys. Eddie Keith, with 379, and Harold Hodges, with 376, led the winning charge.

Allied Roofing Co., led by Ed Edinger's 372, knocked the Herzog's out of the lead when the Roofers whitewashed the erstwhile leaders. The defeat sent the Herzog's team tumbling down to fourth place.

The University Shop rollers moved into a second place deadlock with Shah & Shah when the University team swept their set from the last place Washington Diesel School, while the Bell Clothes snapped out of their losing ways by winning a 2-1 decision from Marvin's Credit Co. The Shah & Shah-Sammy's Liquor Store match was postponed.

Three New Marks At Chevy Chase

Three new season's records were rolled in the U. S. Engineers League at Chevy Chase, Mudhens posting a team game of 604, Wharfrats a set of 1,612, and McClung an individual game of 153. Vogts' 359 set was high, but not a record.

Main Office Tops Mailmen's League

Main Office had team set of 1,629 in the National Association of Letter Carriers' League at Chevy Chase, while individual honors went to Harnett with a 137-game and Lindawood a 375 set, high for the season. Ben Franklin stayed in first place with an odd game win over Chevy

See BOWLING, Page 27, Column 4.

Bethesdans Lose, 26-18, To Western

Suburbanites Shoot First Basket; Price Stars for Winners, Hollis for Losers

Without the assistance of Bob Custer, All-High forward made ineligible with the release of scholastic marks, Western's Red Raiders opened their basketball season yesterday with a 26-18 triumph over Bethesda-Chevy Chase's hitherto unbeaten team. Jack Price, center, was high scorer for the victors with 6 points, but Jim Hollis, of Bethesda, shared the honors for the game.

Referee John Latona had scarcely blown his whistle and tossed the ball into the air for the opening jump, when Hollis started the tallying for the suburbanites. A personal foul was called on Price, who was guarding his man too closely, and Hollis made one of his two shots good. The 1-0 lead held for almost five minutes of the initial quarter. Then Harold Beatty found the range for two goals from the sidelines, and Western was ahead never to drop behind.

Hollis Adds Goal

Hollis added a goal for the Bethesdans in the first period, and that was the extent of their scoring. Price sank a field goal for Western,

See WESTERN, Page 28, Column 1.

A Cronin for Harris Deal May Come From This Duo

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

Eddie Collins, general manager of the Boston Red Sox (left) and Clark Griffith, owner of the Washington Nationals, get their heads together during the major league meetings in New York. The Washington roster was still without a new face last night, however

'No Deal on the Fire—Yet,' Says Griff, Hurrying to Keep Appointment at Meeting

By a Staff Correspondent.

New York, Dec. 14.—Mysterious maneuvering by Clark Griffith and Bucky Harris tonight provoked the belief that the Washington bosses are again on the scent of talent for the needy Nats.

Emerging from the business meeting of the league late this afternoon, both Harris and Griffith dissappeared from the hotel lobby and closeted themselves on an upper floor where officials of rival clubs are maintaining suites.

Shyly telling reporters that "nothing was on the fire—yet," Griffith took Harris in tow for a sortie among other baseball men after hastily glancing at his watch in what appeared to be an eager desire to keep an appointment.

Despite declarations that the proposed deal with the Detroit Tigers is "cold," Griffith and Harris are believed still dickering with the Detroit club. They mingled also with the Cleveland Indian bosses during the lunch hour and a deal in that direction is seen possible.

The Nats' owner scotched a report that Al Simmons had been sold, traded or given his unconditional release. "Nothing to it," said Griffith. "I have not heard yet if American League clubs have granted waivers on Simmons. If they do, I may sell him to a National League club."

That Griffith will dispose of Simmons is deemed certain. He is still bitter toward the veteran outfielder for the latter's outburst against Griffith Stadium fans on the last day of the 1938 season.

"Suppose no big league club claims Simmons at the $7,500 waiver price, then what?" Griffith was asked.

"Well, then I'll send him a contract," said Griffith. But the hint was that the terms of the contract might not be to Simmons' liking.

In the event that the Nats' bosses fail to make a deal here, they will, nevertheless, have accomplished something, declared Griffith. "We're laying the foundations of trades that may be pulled any time between now and the opening of the season. Most of the people here are just shopping around now. When they have time to think over some of the offers, they'll want to do some dealing."

Cecil Travis continues to be the chief bait of the Washington club; despite the assertions they are not anxious to trade Travis, Harris and Griffith would not be loath to let him go in any deal that would be advantageous. Griffith has called down his demands on the Detroit club in a Travis swap and is now believed to be asking Catcher George Tebbetts and a regular pitcher. Originally, Griffith had sought to include Rudy York in the deal.

To hear Griffith tell it, his chief concern is pitching and any trade the Nats make will be with the idea of bringing fresh hurling talent to the club.

Bill Ackerman

Outdoors

Our National Parks

During the past two years, city dwellers have become national park conscious, particularly anglers experiencing their first year astream with a fly rod where the ready help of the Forest Rangers has done much to give them the right kind of a start at the time it is needed most. Even past masters of the feathered hook and tapered line have been finding more and more of their sport on park streams, because to them the shortened creel limit means little or nothing, for their enjoyment comes from full days spent trying to entice one or two of the big fellows to strike.

ACKERMAN.

It is safe to say, that without the jurisdiction exercised over these parks, another year or two and the streams would be as crowded as those running through public lands were it not for the occasional restrictions as to numbers allowed to fish. In Allegheny National Park in Pennsylvania, fishing has become so important that intensified efforts are being redoubled to keep pace with the demands for trout with which to restock the 500-odd miles of stream in this area.

A recent development that will greatly increase the pleasure of the outdoorsman was the agreement between the United States Forest Service and the National Park Service to develop the "Appalachian Trailway" for hiking and camping. A protective strip through eight national forests and two national parks, at least two miles wide except where it descends into main valleys, will be established along more than 700 miles of the 2,050 miles of the trail along the crest of the Appalachian Range from Mount Katadin to Mount Oglethorp. The Forest and Park services have already progressed toward the objective of a chain of camp sites and shelter facilities not more than a comfortable day's hike apart.

Trout Are Plenty

The present season has been exceptionally favorable for the development of trout, due to the fact that water levels have remained relatively constant, and temperatures have not been excessively high. Many of the released fish of this spring, and uncaught during the open season, are now on their spawning run.

For streams like Fishing Creek, Catoctin Run and Marsh Run, this means but little, but to streams not so easy of access and not so heavily fished, it will count heavy in their increase of population for next year, always taking into consideration there is enough food to support the increase. Many anglers think that all any stream needs is to have the fish dumped in it. Others advanced for enough to know that, structurally, some streams are unable to support fish, but often can be made to do so with a little planning and hard work. They get far enough in their education to think that if any stream is speeded up enough to scours its pools and banks, that is all that is necessary, but in reality, it is always not so simple as this.

Proceed Cautiously

Any persons or organization, before jumping head first into a program to structurally restore a trout or bass stream to the productiveness of the good old days, should ask this question, and have the answer to it: "Are the physical conditions of the stream actually different than they were in the "good old days?"

If the answer is "Yes," then perhaps stream improvement is the answer, but even so, it is best to proceed cautiously. It is as easy to do harm with the wrong kind of improvement as to do good with the proper kind. If this were not so, why would the State commissions and Forest Service spend so much time in observation before they start any work at all? A full study of each individual stream, with top and bottom food counts, temperature readings over an extended period, is of paramount importance, and don't mistake pollution and an over-abundance of fishermen for poor physical stream condition. Above all, remember—stream improvement is not a cureall.

There are all sorts of trick gadgets flooding the sport stores this winter, everyone of which seems to work toward the easier taking of game fish. Two noted this past week were the large aluminum belly plate with a swivel rod socket, for protection of the angler, and the new tempered steel hooks, built with an offset in the shank, that makes the flat shovel-like barb dig deeper and deeper as the pull of the fish comes on it. At least this is how it works out in the soft piece of balsa wood that is used to demonstrate these hooks on the counter.

It must be that we are a little old-fashioned, for the safe and sure methods don't seem to have the fun and excitement of the earlier days of the offshore fishing, when you took your chances with tackle that was just about adequate to bring the big fellows in if you got all the breaks, and you didn't wear armor to protect your hide so it would be possible to go out again on the following days. With all due regard for those who would rather take their fun that way, we'll stick to the smaller tackle, that in spite of burnt fingers and barked knuckles, seems to make for a fuller and more enjoyable day.

2,300 Horses Ready For Tropical Meet

Miami, Fla., Dec. 14 (AP).—Race horses registered here for Tropical Park's opening Monday numbered 2,300 today.

Stable space was at a premium and outside buildings were being used.

Purses totaling $130,000 were ready for the first half of Tropical's split season. Hialeah race track opens January 18.

Royal Business Wins Second Handicap at Charles Town

Johnston's Filly Pays $10.60 Ticket

Beats Tedmelia and Ocean Roll in Slow Time; Camera Is Needed for Place

By Walter Haight.

A Staff Correspondent.

Charles Town, W. Va., Dec. 14.—Capt. Ewart Johnston, Virginia sportsman, saw his speedy filly, Royal Business, add to her prestige as queen of the December meeting by scoring her second handicap victory. Saving ground from start to finish, the daughter of Sun Meadow answered Jockey Lou Machado's drive to take command in the stretch, and she won by three lengths in rather easy fashion. Tedmelia, carrying the hopes of Mrs. Kenneth Gilpin, another Virginian, took a photo finish for second money from John A. Manfuso's Ocean Roll, favorite in the field of six.

Royal Business carried a $10.60 price tag and covered the "Charles Town course" of 120 feet more than 6 furlongs in a mediocre 1:28 1-5. While the track was heavy, it was slightly better than it has been for several days. Overhead conditions were ideal for the crowd of 4,500.

Ocean Roll, with Jockey A. Vesseli up, was first to show in front at the clubhouse turn. The Strolling Player gelding opened a length and a half on Tedmelia. Royal Business was a rather distant third at this stage. Along the backstretch, Tedmelia went up to Ocean Roll and then shook him off to get to the front.

Entering the stretch, Ocean Roll came up to challenge Tedmelia as the pair went a little wide. In the meanwhile, Machado fairly skimmed the rail with Royal Business. She answered his urging to get to the front and she was not menaced from that point to the wire.

One of the smallest daily doubles of the meeting marked the program. After Petee Lad, a $5.80 favorite, won the second race, Philigal, another public choice, took the third race at $4.60 and the "double" players collected $17.60.

The program opened with another photo finish. This time Beaufast, owned by Mrs. C. M. Feltner, drove up on the outside and collared Ocala. The winner paid 9.

Tanforan Entries

By the Associated Press.

miles; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

7	Gypsy Fred	109	1	*Some Turley	110
8	Vale of Tears	115	2	*Sky Grey	104
9	British Tan	115	3	*Train Signal	113
10	*Flint Ridge	103	4	Bulletin Board	112
11	*Carbon Copy	110	5	*Thistle Burr	107
12	Can Ele	109	6	Sweet Bernice	106

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

5	Maid of Perth	109	1	Amalthea	107
6	*San Jose	105	2	*Pince Heather	113
7	Parthian Star	107	3	Crystal Streak	104
8	Valina	107	4	Wind Pocket	107

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

7	Prince Bow	113	1	Bernie Boy	110
8	*Mariolet	103	2	Urge Me	106
9	Jockwell	110	3	*Patrick B	103
10	Fly Across	104	4	Draco	111
11	Dolaway	110	5	*Chief Pilot	111
12	Slapped	113	6	Merry Breezes	106

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $700; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

7	Merfield	106	1	Napertion	110
8	*Miss Polvo	104	2	Salsita	105
9	Trabuco	105	3	Jonies Girl	107
10	*Atta Bunny	107	4	Lottie D	107
11	Nancy Rogge	107	5	Prettela	107
12	*Dominic B	109	6	Easter Ele	109

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

7	Blaufuss	110	2	*Company	112
8	Calculator	114	3	King Royale	113
9	*Fern Grove	106	4	Infinite Lady	107
10	Don Guzman	113	5	Sir Gay	113
1	*Jack o' Spades	112	6	*Midwick	103

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $700; allowances; for 2-year-olds.

6	Gallopette	118	1	Calneva	109
7	Immunity	112	2	Hasten Henry	118
8	Master Jean	115	3	Timber Cat	115
9	Swift Jasmine	109	4	Liberty's Love	115
10	Lady's Son	115	5	Watch Time	118

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

7	*Much Trible	103	1	*Merina	110
8	Mullet	115	2	Mooney Brook	118
9	Enoch B'land	111	3	Tall Oak	115
10	The Shingler	111	4	Scenario	112
11	*Mikes Luck	106	5	Risotto	118
12	Rose Crystal	109	6	Copa De Oro	111

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

5	Gay Jacket	108	1	Well Timed	108
6	Burston Manor	115	2	Gatlin	106
7	Tonas Lad	110	3	Let Torch	115
8	*Kayembee	107	4	Gold Drop	110

NINTH RACE (substitute) — One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

7	Fight On	109	1	Idle Lad	109
8	Sky Bingo	112	2	*Crystal Lake	107
9	O'Riley	115	3	Dissent	106
10	Wild Glo	112	4	Two Sons	106
11	Parley Vous	112	5	Didutellus	106
12	Sextus	109	6	Magic Baby	106

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather, clear; track, fast.

West's All-Star Roster Completed

San Francisco, Dec. 14 (AP).—The Western squad for the fourteenth annual East-West Shrine charity football game here January 2 was completed today with acceptances from 23 players of 14 west-of-the-Mississippi teams.

The Eastern squad was completed several days ago.

The West Squad:

Oregon State—Prescott Hutchins, guard, and Joe Wendlick, end.

Washington—James Johnston, halfback, and Art Means, guard.

Iowa State—Ed Bock, guard, and Charley Heileman, end.

Stanford—Bill Paulman, fullback, and Tony Calvelli, center.

California—Vic Bottari, halfback, and Dave Anderson, fullback.

Santa Clara—Al Wolff, tackle, and Jim Coughlan, end.

University of San Francisco—Al Braga, halfback, and Blas Miatovich, tackle.

Idaho—Dick Trzuskowski, tackle.

Drake—"Pug" Manders, fullback, and Sam Boyd, end.

Texas—Jack Rhodes, guard.

Arizona—Walt Nielson, fullback.

Washington State—Dick Farman, tackle.

Nebraska—Charley Brock, center.

CHARLES TOWN CHARTS

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1938.
(Compiled by Walter Haight.)
WEATHER, CLEAR. TRACK, HEAVY.

FIRST RACE—About 4½ furlongs. Purse, $400; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good from stall gates. Won driving; place same. Went to post 1:32½. Off 1:34. Winner, Mrs. C. M. Feltner's ch. g. (3), by Haste—Beautiful One. Trained by C. M. Feltner. Value to winner, $300; second, $80; third, $30; fourth, $10. Time, 0:56 1-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	Start	¼	Stretch	Finish	Straight
BEAUFAST	(West)	107	1	6	4½	5²	1½	$3.80
OCALA	(Horn)	114	7	3	2ʰᵈ	2ʰᵈ	2²	3.00
COME BY CHANCE	(Law)	111	2	5	6³	4ʰ	3¹½	10.20
HANDLEY	(Coffman)	114	3	1	1ʰ	1½	4³	7.80
SMALL DEVIL	(Balducci)	107½	4	7	5¹½	6ʰ	5½	7.20
BLUE PRELUDE	(Berg)	110	5	2	3ʰᵈ	3¹½	6⁵	3.00
TWEETY	(Rosa)	106	8	8	8	7ʰ	7⁴	18.70
TEMPERAMENTAL	(Terhune)	109	6	4	7ʰ	8	8	42.80

Two-dollar mutuels paid—BEAUFAST, $9.00, $4.20, $3.40; OCALA, $4.60, $3.40; COME BY CHANCE, $5.60.

BEAUFAST raced on inside for quarter, was taken to outside when blocked and under hard riding, was up in concluding strides. OCALA raced on outside in first flight, disposed of HANDLEY to take lead, but could not resist winner. COME BY CHANCE saved much ground entering stretch, HANDLEY set pace under hustling tactics and weakened suddenly. SMALL DEVIL was away poorly. BLUE PRELUDE was forced to race between horses to stretch and faltered badly.

SECOND RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $400; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good from stall gates. Won easily; place driving. Went to post 2:11½. Off 2:12½. Winner, C. Brining's b. g. (5), by Petee Wrack—Lady Stimulus. Trained by P. Poluch. Value to winner, $300; second, $60; third, $30; fourth, $10. Time, 2:08 4-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
PETEE LAD	(Palumbo)	116	7	8	5¹½	5¹½	4³	2½	1²	$1.90
SPANISH MAID	(Kenny)	111	5	2	2²	2¹½	2²	3²	2ʰᵈ	11.40
HALLOO	(Faust)	114	3	5	8	8	6³	5ʰ	3ʰ	10.30
CALL ME ANNE	(Machado)	109	8	8	4ʰ	3ʰ	3²	4ʰ	4ʰʰ	4.70
CHOICE GOODS	(Vessell)	116	2	1	1ʰ	1ʰ	1½	1½	5ʰ	7.30
TENNIS	(Kelly)	116	6	7	7¹	6ʰ	6¹	7²	6ʰ	22.40
JIM BROWN	(Atkinson)	116	1	4	6½	7²	8	8	7²	7.10
LEW DUNLIN	(Miller)	116	4	3	3ʰᵈ	4³	7ʰ	6½	8	5.90

Two-dollar mutuels paid—PETEE LAD, $5.80, $3.60, $2.60; SPANISH MAID, $9.00, $6.20; HALLOO, $4.00.

PETEE LAD, much the best, was allowed to settle into best stride, raced on own course for half rallied gamely when placed to drive, came to inside to get to front and drew out gradually. SPANISH MAID was closest to CHOICE GOODS' pace and held on gamely in final test. HALLOO closed with good energy from slow beginning. CALL ME ANNE went closer than usual in early stages, but was held safe. CHOICE GOODS set pace to stretch and stopped. LEW DUNLIN had early speed.

THIRD RACE—Six and one-half furlongs. Purse, $400; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good from stall gates. Won driving; place same. Went to post 2:38. Off 2:39½. Winner, G. T. Strother's b. f. (3), by Philippi—Janedith T. Trained by J. Arthur. Value to winner, $300; second, $60; third, $30; fourth, $10. Time, 1:35 3-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
PHILIGAL	(Berg)	110	4	1	2²	2½	3¹	1½	1²	$1.30
TULEYRIES LAD	(West)	110	2	3	3ʰ	3²	3³	2½	2³	11.50
BORO POKER	(Lauch)	114	1	2	1ʰ	1ʰ	1ʰ	3¹	3ʰ	3.05
DEBACLE	(Machado)	107	6	6	4¹½	4²	4ʰ	4ʰ	4ʰ	14.70
MAD DASH	(Klein)	108	7	7	6½	6²	5ʰ	5ʰ	5ʰ	6.90
KEWAGOE	(Horn)	108	3	5	7	7	6ʰ	6¹	6¹ʰ	8.30
FAIR DESIGN	(Garrett)	105	5	4	3ʰᵈ	5²	7	7	7	34.20
JUDITH B	(Kirk)	107	8	8	Fell					34.60

Two-dollar mutuels paid—PHILIGAL, $4.60, $3.60, $2.80; TULEYRIES LAD, $7.20, $4.40; BORO POKER, $2.60.

PHILIGAL, steadied along off pace of BORO POKER, came between BORO POKER and TULEYRIES LAD entering stretch and took lead to hold away to end. TULEYRIES LAD was taken up entering stretch and closed gamely on outside, WEST claimed a foul against winner. BORO POKER went to front at once, drew out, but weakened. DEBACLE saved ground, but was not a serious factor. FAIR DESIGN had early foot. JUDITH B. stumbled and fell.

Daily Double, Petee Lad and Philigal, Paid $17.60.

FOURTH RACE—Six and one-half furlongs. Purse, $400; claiming. For 2-year-olds. Start good from stall gates. Won easily; place driving. Went to post 3:09. Off 3:10½. Winner, J. Bosley's b. g. (2), by Mokatam—Margaret Burr. Trained by owner. Value to winner, $300; second, $60; third, $30; fourth, $10. Time, 1:34 1-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
ARTIST	(Balducci)	107	1	5	1¹	1²	1²	1²	$3.00
GENERAL HAY	(Coffman)	112	6	4	2¹	2ʰ	2¹	2ʰ	2.90
HOME HUNTER	(Garrett)	112	2	2	3ʰᵈ	3¹	3ʰ	3ʰʰ	6.40
MOWSEEN	(Vessell)	108	8	7	5ʰ	5²	4ʰ	4ʰ	14.40
PRAIRIE MAN	(Law)	108	4	8	6²	6²	5²	5²	8.90
LACEY MISS	(Machado)	107	3	6	7²	7²	6½	6½	31.50
JOCKEB	(Page)	111	5	1	8	8	7	7	33.80
COUNORA	(Berg)	110	2	3	3¹½	4½	Fell			2.90

Two-dollar mutuels paid—ARTIST, $8.00, $3.80, $3.00; GENERAL HAY, $3.80, $3.00; HOME HUNTER, $4.40.

ARTIST forced to front at first turn, opened good lead and was not threatened at any stage. GENERAL HAY went evenly and held on gamely. HOME HUNTER could not keep up. MOWSEEN raced wide from start. PRAIRIE MAN was squeezed back at first turn. COUNORA stumbled and fell leaving backstretch.

FIFTH RACE—Charles Town course. Purse, $700; handicap. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good from stall gates. Won easily; place driving. Went to post 3:35½. Off 3:37. Winner, E. Johnston's b. f. (3), by Sun Meadow—Pretty Business. Trained by O. F. Kent. Value to winner, $525; second, $100; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 1:28 1-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
ROYAL BUSINESS	(Machado)	114	3	5	3½	3½	3²	1²		$4.30
TEDMELIA	(West)	105	5	3	2²	2¹	1¹	2ʰᵈ		6.80
OCEAN ROLL	(Vessell)	114	2	2	1ʰ	1ʰᵏ	2²½	3¹ʰ		2.10
LANDLUBBER	(Beasy)	110	6	6	6	6	6	4½		6.50
THE RUNNER	(Page)	115	4	4	5²	5²	4½	5¹		2.20
BONNY CLABBER	(Garrett)	105	1	1	4ʰ	4¹	5²	6		20.30

Two-dollar mutuels paid—ROYAL BUSINESS, $10.60, $5.40, $2.80; TEDMELIA, $7.60, $3.20; OCEAN ROLL, $2.60.

ROYAL BUSINESS saved ground from start, rallied gamely when placed to drive, came through on inside to get to front and won easily. TEDMELIA was closest to OCEAN ROLL'S pace, took lead entering stretch while going wide and was weakening at end. OCEAN ROLL set good pace and came again after being displaced. LANDLUBBER closed with good energy from slow beginning. THE RUNNER failed to rally at any stage. BONNY CLABBER flashed early speed.

SIXTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $500; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good from stall gates. Won handily; place same. Went to post 4:07½. Off 4:11. Winner, Mrs. M. N. Bond's ch. f. (4), by Infinite—Lillias. Trained by J. B. Bond. Value to winner, $350; second, $75; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 2:03 1-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
INACTIVE	(Machado)	113	3	3	1²	1²	1²	1²	1²	$1.70
FREESTONE	(Mattison)	109	5	4	4ʰᵈ	3½	3²	3ʰ	2ʰ	11.10
KESWICK HILL	(Kirk)	108	4	8	8	8	7½	4½	3³	16.30
FENWAY	(Gonzales)	107	8	6	2½	2¹	2¹	2¹	4ʰ	14.80
TROSTAR	(Cornelius)	107	6	5	3²	5ʰ	6²	6²	5ʰᵏ	33.20
MATCH POINT	(Peck)	109	1	1	5½	6¹	6¹	7ʰ	6¹	5.20
SEA BOY	(West)	107	2	2	3½	4²	4²	5½	7²	12.20
SUNTOSUN	(Palumbo)	118	7	7	7ʰ	7²	8	8	8	2.70

Two-dollar mutuels paid—INACTIVE, $5.40, $3.60, $2.80; FREESTONE, $8.40, $5.00; KESWICK HILL, $6.20.

INACTIVE took command in opening quarter, jogged along in front and won in hand. FREESTONE made up some ground in closing stages. KESWICK HILL, distant trailer to backstretch, closed with good energy. FENWAY weakened after going closest to pace for three-quarters. SEA BOY had early speed.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-quarter miles. Purse, $500; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good from stall gates, for all but Braving Danger. Won driving; place same. Went to post 4:37. Off 4:39. Winner, E. H. Titmus, jr.'s, ch. g. (7), by Botanical—Nyla. Trained by B. Flammia. Value to winner, $350; second, $75; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 2:25 3-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
PRINCE KHAYYAM	(Machado)	114	1	2	1²	1³	1ʰ	1½	1²	$3.00
JAMES BOY	(Rossi)	111	2	3	3½	3¹	2²	2ʰ	2¹ʰ	4.10
BOSOPI	(Lauch)	117	4	4	4ʰ	5²	5ʰ	5¹	3²	9.90
LAST SCAMP	(Balducci)	111	3	1	2¹	2½	3ʰ	3²	4½	6.20
NEVER IDOL	(Mattison)	111	7	7	6¹	4²	4ʰ	4²	5²	3.40
CANIMAR	(Faust)	114	3	5	7ʰ	7²	6¹	6ʰ	6ʰʰ	14.70
STEPEE	(West)	108	8	6	5²	6²	7½	7½	7ʰ	24.40
BRAVING DANGER	(Page)	111	6	8	8	8	8	8	8	5.30

Two-dollar mutuels paid—PRINCE KHAYYAM, $9.80, $5.00, $3.60; JAMES BOY, $5.20, $4.20; BOSOPI, $6.00.

PRINCE KHAYYAM, sent to front at once, saved ground and drew out under strong hand riding in closing stages. JAMES BOY, rated while running closer than usual, rallied gamely to move up, but was held safe when Machado outrode Rossi. BOSOPI was a tired third. LAST SCAMP pressed the early pace and stopped. NEVER IDOL moved up with rush after a half, but weakened. BRAVING DANGER was virtually left.

Tanforan Results

FIRST—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $700; for maiden 2-year-olds.

Piucky Fight, 116 (Coucel) 8.00 3.80 2.80
Sky Gal, 109 (Turk) 5.20 3.20
Good Volt, 116 (Longden) 2.80

Hal's Pet, Brown Blarney, Sol Ee, Bronze Bell, Booter Mc, Plaza, Bo Peep, Fort Ryon, Joyce B. and Temperament also ran. Time, 1:13.

SECOND—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Bunch Boy, 110 (Bierman) 12.60 4.00 3.40
The Flower, 112 (Adams) 2.80 2.60
Sir War, 108 (Siller) 6.20

Keeno H., Hadage, Rich Daddy, Speedy Return, Mam Lindy, Shasta Buddy and Bonynse also ran. Time, 1:12 4-5.

THIRD—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Nuve Alta, 114 (Leishman) 4.60 3.40 3.00
Edgar Boy, 117 (Neves) 6.00 4.40
Rushing By, 112 (Van Tassel) 4.60

Closing Time, Easter Parade, Belle's Last, Sweep Quick, Union Girl, Cleo's Pride, Sealine, Santa Monica and Toney's Girl also ran. Time, 1:46 2-5.

FOURTH—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $700; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

†R. R. Canyon, 113 (Fallon) 7.60 9.40 6.40
†Warall, 110 (Longden) 4.80 4.80 4.00
Frank O., 111 (Coucel) 4.60

Byrdford, No Recall, Lynette O., Sitting Bull, Miss Loan, Hadnogal, Eagle Crest and Bellos also ran. Time, 1:44 2-5.

†Dead heat.

FIFTH—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Moral Victory, 105 (Miller) 7.40 3.60 3.20
Patrellie, 107 (Van Tassel) 4.20 3.80
Illeanna, 108 (Longden) 4.60

Borsodi, Susi Q., Inacolita and Steel Worker also ran. Time, 1:11 2-5.

SIXTH—Six furlongs (chute); purse, $800; allowances; class D; for 3-year-olds and upward.

†Our Carolyne, 110 (Miller) 3.80 4.40 3.00
†Boulevard, 106 (Longden) 7.00 7.40 4.00
Galla Clay, 115 (Coucel) 4.00

Sir Ridaway, Party Spirit and Kumreish also ran. Time, 1:11 2-5.

†Dead heat.

SEVENTH—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Jolito, 109 (Neves) 30.20 9.20 4.20
Wild Turkey, 110 (Fallon) 8.00 2.40
Sky Glare, 115 (Van Tassel) 3.20

Onus, Damfield and Monsweep also ran. Time, 1:45 2-5.

EIGHTH—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

The Lake, 111 (Burns) 17.20 8.40 4.80
Gamelen, 106 (Adams) 9.60 6.00
Bachelor's Bower, 111 (Fallon) 5.00

Pompete, Ovion, Booter Harah, Yes Polly, Pitter Pat, Puako, Zadburn, Ribald and Son of Day also ran. Time, 1:43 3-5.

Trainer Stewart Suspended 1 Year On Doping Charge

Charles Town, W. Va., Dec. 14.—Trainer H. N. Stewart, already under suspension for 90 days for stimulating the horse "Tommy Rose" here on December 3, today had his suspension extended to one year, when a salvia test disclosed that the same horse again was stimulated in his race of December 6.

In his first appearance at the track, "Tommy Rose" finished first, but was disqualified. The State chemists's report showed that the horse had been given caffeine. In the December 6 race, "Tommy Rose" again won and this time the decision stood.

The chemists' analysis received today by the stewards revealed a positive finding of morphine having been used. Local stewards have referred the case to the West Virginia Racing Commission "for any further action deemed necessary."

It was announced that the horse has been barred from racing for one year. However, no action was taken against other horses running in the interests of the Empress Stable.

The Post's Consensus at Charles Town

Bennings (Washington Post)

First race.	Second race.	Third race.	Fourth race.	Fifth race.	Sixth race.	Seventh race.	Eighth race.
Flying Heart	Proteus	Tedy West	Lead Please	Enthusiasm	Bargain Boy	Janstar	Justa Jimmie
Game Chaser	Shaggy Ann	Locomotive	Fylfot	Pegotty Ann	Schley Nurse	Machilla	Blind Talk
Gimpey	Witch Lad	Edith Walker	Canrock	Last Chase	Playing Dan	Goantell	Dilwin

Best bet—Enthusiasm.

Clocker Mike (Washington Post)

Sail By	Boulder Dam	Dark Tyrant	Caperace	Rise & Shine	Playing Dan	Machilla	Blind Talk
Maolissa	Porteus	Edith Walker	Canrock	Enthusiasm	Bargain Boy	Goantell	Justa Jimmie
Game Chaser	Shaggy Ann	Summer Hail	Prettylass	Grumpy	Monocacy	Vinny Boy	Monologue

Best bet—Rise and Shine.

By the Louisville Times

Flying Heart	Justify	Dark Tyrant	Canrock	Happy Host	Happy Road	Luculent	Blind Talk
Sail By	Dower	Crossing Over	Whizaway	Tulerries Lin	Schley Nurse	Machilla	Monologue
Bob Junior	Witch Lad	Cancel	Fylfot	Grumpy	Playing Dan	Parrish Roach	Justa Jimmie

Best bet—Happy Road.

Consensus of Leading Handicappers

Roll's Past (23)	Proteus (18)	Edith W'ker (21)	Fylfot (22)	Enthusiasm (20)	B'gain Boy (19)	Machilla (29)	Justa J'mie (24)
Fly'g Heart (17)	Shaggy Ann (17)	Locomotive (15)	Canrock (17)	Grumpy (18)	Schley Nu'e (17)	Goantell (14)	Blind Talk (16)
Game Cha'r (9)	Square Play (8)	Dark Tyr't (13)	Whizaway (12)	Rise & Sh'e (11)	Play'g Dan (10)	Janstar (9)	Dilwin (9)

Charles Town Entries With Marvel Ratings

By the Associated Press.

FIRST RACE—About 4½ furlongs; purse, $400; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

No.	Horse and Jockey.	Wt.	Odds	Rate
7	*Sail By (Mattison)	100	20-1	295
8	Grouchers Boy (Kirk)	110	15-1	300
9	Rolling Past (Klein)	109	6-1	305
10	Flying Heart (Coffman)	110	2-1	315
11	*Maolissa (Balducci)	106	4-1	311
12	Feather Tread (Rossi)	107	8-1	308
13	Game Chaser (Vessell)	107	3-1	302
14	Gimpey (Kirk)	112	3-1	296
1	Killy (Berg)	105	10-1	312
2	Little Harpist (Garrett)	105	15-1	307
3	Smada (Mattison)	105	10-1	307
4	Bob Junior (Walters)	110	6-1	312
5	My First (Vessell)	110	8-1	300
6	Goldun (Machado)	108	8-1	296

SECOND RACE—Charles Town course; purse, $400; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

7	Shaggy Ann (Palumbo)	110	2-1	310
8	Look Forward (Garrett)	113	10-1	307
9	*Dolly Tour (Gonzales)	105	12-1	299
10	*Witch Lad (West)	106	6-1	310
11	Justify (Walters)	107	12-1	306
12	Dower (Beasy)	110	15-1	307
13	*Tardy Jest (Balducci)	105	10-1	303
14	*Proteus (Peck)	108	2-1	315
1	Square Play (West)	108	4-1	316
2	*Star Turn (Balducci)	105	12-1	305
3	*Hair Trigger (Mattison)	106	10-1	310
4	*Boulder Dam (Kelly)	105	8-1	310
5	Leah Fern (Garrett)	107	10-1	304
6	Campo (Miller)	113	6-1	311

THIRD RACE—About 7 furlongs; purse, $400; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

7	Edith Walker (Palumbo)	112	8-5	313
8	Parallel (Watters)	109	6-1	311
9	Proven (Fowler)	118	4-1	306
10	Dark Tyrant (Law)	115	3-1	313
11	*Crossing Over (Page)	107	8-1	312
12	Sea Charmer (Terhune)	112	6-1	311
13	*Summer Hail (Balducci)	104	15-1	308
14	Winsome Lassie (Watters)	112	10-1	309
1	Locomotive (Berg)	115	2-1	311
2	Cancel (Machado)	112	4-1	311
3	*Tody West (Mattison)	107	6-1	315
4	*White Sweets (West)	107	6-1	300
5	Bodean (Miller)	115	8-1	312
6	Gay One (Horn)	112	20-1	310

FOURTH RACE—Six and one-half furlongs; purse, $300; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

5	Canrock (Kirk)

Down In Front

By Richards Vidmer

Old Faces and New

New York, Dec. 14.—Football fades into the unforgotten past. The baseball officials end their annual meeting and scatter to their winter retreats. Hockey won't get exciting until the Stanley Cup play-offs in March. But just as there seems to come a breathing space in the sphere of sports, the heavyweight situation bobs up and hits us right in the face.

VIDMER.

"What heavyweight situation?" I can hear you asking.

And the reply is that Tommy Farr is going to fight Lou Nova at Madison Square Garden Friday night. This may not, on the surface, seem to be of any great importance. Yet it may turn out to be a very important fight indeed.

To begin with, it is in the nature of an elimination to see who will get the first shot at Joe Louis in the spring. After all, Louis has to fight somebody in the spring, hasn't he? Don't ask why, he just does. Mike Jacobs says so.

Of course you know who Tommy Farr is. He's the fellow who climbed into the front ranks of the challengers by getting himself licked. First he was licked by Joe Louis. But he wasn't knocked out. Everyone seemed to think this was an accomplishment worthy of high praise. Then he was licked by Jim Braddock, but again he remained vertical to the end. Then he was licked by Max Baer. And for the third time he managed to maintain an upright position.

Against All Tradition

This was truly amazing. Here was a freak indeed. Not in the memory of the oldest fight fan had there been a British heavyweight who had stayed standing so long. Of course he was beaten by all three men. In fact, he has not won a fight since he came to this country. But for a British heavyweight to refrain from finding a nice soft spot in the corner of the ring and curling up on it during the course of three evenings was never heard of before. Obviously Farr belonged among the foremost challengers for the championship. Well, among the foremost British challengers, anyway.

You may not know so much about Nova. Naturally you wouldn't. He fought his way up to his present position of prominence by winning his fights instead of losing them. Unfortunately he won most of them on the Pacific Coast and we of the East have learned to take those California victories in stride without too much excitement. However, Lou Nova knocked out Gunnar Garlund right in Madison Square Garden. That made a difference.

Not that Gunnar Barlund was any world beater, but knocking anybody out in Madison Square Garden was worth all the palms, plaudits and praise that came from the Coast for his achievements out there. So naturally Lou Nova immediately was promoted to a place among the challengers.

Three Survivors

There were others in the group only a few months ago, but somehow they seem to have eliminated themselves. And under the present setup only three remain. The idea at present is to take the winner of Friday night's fight between Nova and Farr and match him with Max Baer, the survivor to get the first outdoor fight with Joe Louis in the spring.

There is the situation in the heavyweight ranks at the moment, and although it may not seem any too pleasant, there doesn't appear to be anything anyone can do about it.

Of the three remaining contenders, however, Nova certainly seems to be the most appealing. After all, Louis already has beaten Baer and Farr. Furthermore Baer has beaten Farr, so unless Nova manages to survive the eliminations it looks as though that spring battle isn't going to incite any riots around the ticket windows.

Both Gene Tunney and Jack Dempsey, two ring-wise gentlemen who should know what they're talking about, have offered their opinions that it would be homicide to put Nova in the ring with Louis so soon. They agree that he has had too little experience to stand a chance with the Brown Bomber.

But, as a matter of fact, Nova probably would stand more of a chance than either of the other two more experienced contenders. We've seen what Louis can do to Baer, and we've also seen what he can do to Farr. But Nova still is one of the unsolved factors in the heavyweight ranks.

And so Friday night's bout may be very important. With the winner facing Baer and the survivor of that bout meeting Joe Louis in the spring, it may develop that the next heavyweight champion of the world will be in the ring at Madison Square Garden Friday night. But it's more likely that the next heavyweight champion of the world will be in a ringside seat looking on and looking up whenever anybody passes by and says:

"Hya, Joe?"

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2 Howard Players Win Gold Footballs

Gold footballs, symbolizing the outstanding player on each team in the Howard-Lincoln Thanksgiving Day game, were won by Robert White, Bison captain and fullback who scored the winning touchdown, and Lincoln's freshman halfback, Montford Irwin.

White was given credit for a remarkable exhibition of punting and perfect tackling, while Irwin was chosen for all-around excellence. The awards were donated by John R. Pinkett, former Amherst center.

Broomfield Wins Touch-and-Out Class in Ft. Myer Show

Miss Cotter's Rocksie Wins Second Place

P. M. C. Team Takes Lead in Competition of Student Riders

By Hotspur.

Matchless horsemanship and daring riding; hazardous jumps and superjumpers; hunters of great repute and spectacular performances, student rivalry and colorful military ceremonies marked the opening of the first horse show of the winter season at Fort Myer last night and thrilled an appreciative audience.

Broomfield, Capt. K. G. Hoge's superior open jumper, took top honors in the featured touch-and-out class over Margaret Cotter's great timber-topper, Rocksie. Red Cloud, ridden by Capt. "Jack" Hines, was third, and Rusty, with Capt. T. J. H. Trapnell up, fourth.

It was a thrilling exhibition over course "B" which was so tough that no horse completed it. Broomfield went out at the last jump. It takes four and a half rounds of the arena to complete the long trail which is something of a maze.

Pennsylvania Military College went into the lead for the Arlington Hall Challenge Trophy, in the season's competition for highest honors in college and school team jumping, with a total of 13 faults. Taking the second award was the Arlington Hall Team No. 1 with a total of 17½ faults. Gunston Hall was third with a total of 34½ faults, and Arlington Hall Team No. 2 was but a half a point behind them with 35 faults.

Hogan Is Tops

Cadet Edward Hogan, on his good chestnut gelding Air Flight, took individual honors with but 2 faults. Virginia Smith, of the Arlington Hall Team No. 1, on Gone With the Wind, was right behind Cadet Hogan with 3 faults. Betty Johnson, of the Arlington Hall Team No. 2, had but 3½ faults. The Pennsylvanians' two veteran riders, Cadet Edward Hogan and Cadet James Lynch, were ably assisted by Cadet Raymond Baldwin in making the low score. The Arlington Hall's teams of novice riders did well in their first appearance in a horse show. Gunston Hall's equally new team gives promise of being the threatening factor in the future contests in the Fort Myer shows.

Capt. "Tony" Luebberman's highly favored Billy Do won the working hunters class with his owner up. Tandem, owned and expertly ridden by Mrs. John R. Pugh 3d, was awarded the second ribbon. Dansoux, owned and ridden by Capt. John Meade took a surprising third. Both horse and rider had a bad fall during Tuesday night's schooling. Rockie, owned and ridden by Margaret Cotter, was fourth.

Tandem Is Victor

Tandem, superlatively ridden by his owner, Mrs. John R. Pugh 3d, gave a surpassing performance to win the open hunter class over a large field. The many friends of the Pughs were delighted with this win, but are sorry to learn this will be the last show in Washington the Pughs will grace for some time, as Lieut. Pugh will leave Fort Myer for a new station in January.

Billy Do, owned and ridden by Capt. "Tony" Luebberman, took the red ribbon; Margaret Cotter's Rocksie was third; Reliance, owned and ridden by J. W. Hechter, was fourth.

Carrier Knight was given a great ride by her owner, Sam Bogley, to win the handicap jumper class from a field of 45 of the most outstanding timbertoppers of this section. It was one of the best performances of the evening, and the winning reflects great credit on both horse and rider.

Billy Do, owned and ridden by Capt. "Tony" Luebberman, took the second award by a toss up with Lisbeth Steig, who was given third place. Pat O'Mally, owned and ridden by C. E. Lang was fourth.

Good Exhibition

Capt. Carter's Troop E of the Third Cavalry gave a beautifully executed exhibition of tandem team riding. Sixteen teams, resplendent in white accoutrements, snappily performed intricate maneuvers over fences to music.

Twenty-eight horses were entered in the road or park hack class, shown at a free walk on a loose rein, at a trot, canter and gallop. The judges decided that Clatter Mouth, owned and ridden by Capt. L. G. Smith, had shown the way to the others and was given the blue. Billy Do, Capt. Henri Luebberman's smooth 9-year-old, again was in the ribbons, taking second place. God o' War, owned and ridden by Lieut. John R. Pugh III, was third, and Dream Girl, owned by Capt. Carter and ridden by Mrs. Carter, was fourth.

STUDENT TEAM JUMPING—First, Pennsylvania Military College, 13 faults; second, Arlington Hall Team No. 1, 17½ faults; third, Gunston Hall School, 34½ faults; fourth, Arlington Hall Team No. 2, 35 faults.

TOUCH AND OUT—First, Broomfield, owned and ridden by Capt. K. G. Hoge; second, Rocksie, owned and ridden by Miss Margaret Cotter; third, Red Cloud, owned by United States Government, ridden by Capt. J. L. Hines; fourth, Rusty, owned by United States Government, ridden by Capt. T. J. H. Trapnell.

WORKING HUNTERS—First, Billy Do, owned and ridden by Capt. Henri Luebberman; second, Tandem, owned and ridden by Mrs. John R. Pugh; third, Dansoux, owned and ridden by Capt. John Meade; fourth, Rocksie, owned and ridden by Miss Margaret Cotter.

OPEN HUNTERS—First, Tandem, owned and ridden by Mrs. John R. Pugh; second, Billy Do, owned and ridden by Capt. "Tony" Luebberman; third, Rocksie, owned and ridden by Margaret Cotter; fourth, Reliance, owned and ridden by J. W. Hechter.

HANDICAP JUMPERS—First, Carrier Knight, owned and ridden by Sam Bogley; second, Billy Do, owned and ridden by Capt. Henri Luebberman; third, Hi Ho, owned and ridden by Lisbeth J. Steig; fourth, Pat O'Malley, owned and ridden by C. E. Lang.

ROAD OR PARK HACKS—First, Clatter Mouth, owned and ridden by Capt. L. G. Smith; second, Billy Do, owned and ridden by Capt. Henri Luebberman; third, God o'War, owned and ridden by Lieut. John R. Pugh; fourth, Dream Girl, owned by Capt. Carter, ridden by Mrs. Carter.

Gunston Hall Riders in Fort Myer Show

Post Staff Photo.

The Gunston Hall School equitation team that rode in the student jumping competition in the opening of the Fort Myer Horse Show last night is shown above. Left to right the girl riders are Ann Titus, Peggy Squires, Jane Wells and Ellie Wood Keith

Jack Clagett Outpoints Bill Kekeris

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brevity was the 40-second sleep potion dealt out by Al Dissie, unattached light-heavyweight, to favorite Jimmy Farrell, of National Guard.

Score Six Kayoes

Considering the bouts were advanced to the semifinal bracket, there was an unusual number of knockouts, seven in all, six technical.

The quickest of the evening and also the quickest of the tournament, came in the only heavyweight fight on the card as Billy Nolan, National Guardsman, clipped Fort Myer's Leon Miller on the chin and chilled him in 20 seconds of the first round.

The best comeback of the evening was made by Steve Thompson, National Guard welterweight, who got off the floor three times in the first round to score a second-round technical knockout over Earl Haynes, unattached. The bout was stopped after 2 minutes and 25 seconds of the second round.

Frankie McCaleb put in a strong bid for the "outstanding novice award" by scoring a double victory in the welterweight division of the novice class. He technically kayoed Dan Hoover in the first bout on the program and then in the final bout decisioned Don Tucker, National Guard.

Jim Brady Wins

Opening the senior class activity, Jim Brady, Georgetown University student who won the novice heavyweight championship last season, opened campaigning for the light-heavyweight crown by scoring a technical knockout over Jim Ryan, of Fort Myer, in 1 minute 35 seconds of the third round.

Bernie Hardy, Naval Reserve 118-pounder, registered a majority decision over Tony De Toto, No. 4 Police Boys Club battler, in an exciting match.

Buster Miller, defending 126-pound champion, won an unanimous but lustly-boed decision over Eilly Harrison, of Alexandria, in a fast, bruising scrap.

Hoover Is Beaten

Frankie McCaleb, National Guard welterweight, was awarded a technical knockout over Dan Hoover, unattached, of Alexandria, after 1 minute and 45 seconds of the first round.

Grover Davis, Pete's A. C. 118-pounder, easily outpointed Johnny Bell, Washington Boys Club.

NOVICE CLASSES

Quarterfinals

147-POUND—Frankie McCaleb, unattached, defeated Dan Hoover, unattached, Alexandria, technical knockout, 1 minute 45 seconds first round.

Semifinals

112-POUND—Grover Davis, Pete's A. C., defeated Johnny Bell, Washington Boys Club.

118-POUND—George de Zerne, No. 10 Police Boys Club, defeated Phil Appel, National Boxing Club.

126-POUND—Stanley Stephenson, National Guard, defeated Billy Colbert, technical knockout, first round. Joe Lewis, Colmar Manor, defeated Elmer Ball, National Guard.

135-POUND—Mike O'Brien, National Guard, defeated Eddie Johnson, unattached. Clyde Hayes, Washington Boys Club, defeated Tony Galifaro, No. 5 Police Boys Club.

147-POUND—Nick Mancini, Pete's A. C., defeated Alex Glendenning, No. 4 Police Boys Club.

160-POUND—Bill Malgrave, Merrick, defeated David Peter, Pete's A. C., technical knockout, 38 seconds, second round.

175-POUND—Al Disle, unattached, defeated James Farrell, National Guard, technical knockout, 40 seconds, first round.

147—POUND—Frankie McCaleb, unattached, defeated Don Tucker, National Guard.

SENIOR CLASSES

Semifinals

175-POUND—Jim Brady, Georgetown University, defeated Jim Ryan, Fort Myer, technical knockout, 1 minute 35 seconds, third round.

118-POUND—Bernie Hardy, Naval Reserve, defeated Tony De Toto, No. 4 Police Boys Club.

126-POUND—Buster Miller, National Boxing Club, defeated Billy Harrison, of Alexandria.

135-POUND—Jackie Clagett, National Boxing Club, defeated Billy Kekeris, National Guard.

HEAVYWEIGHT—Billy Nolan, National Guard, knocked out Leon Miller, Fort Myer, 20 seconds, first round.

Sealtest Sets Record In Dairy Pin League

Rolls 629 Game at Georgetown; 3 Marks At Chevy Chase Alleys; Takoma Billiards Win Three Games; Window Cleaners Victors

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Chase Giants, while Main Office won two from Brightwood to tie for third.

Donaldson Posts Classy 379 Set

Earl Donaldson posted a 379 set for honors in the Arlington County League at Galt Davis' Rosslyn plant, while Preston's Pharmacy rolled a season's high game of 628 in defeating Park Lane Service, 2 to 1. Mutual Insurance won two from Cohen's Market, with Dick Clouser's 147 high, while Wade Comets, of the G. W. DeMolay alumni had a fine set of 362, but Geran Realty won the odd game.

John Perry Tops Telephone Play

John Perry, with a 155 game, and Bill Schumacher a 388 set, were high in the C. & P. Telephone League at Lucky Strike. Results included Commerce, No. 2, winning the odd one over Construction, No. 2. Northern District winning two over Southern District Construction, No. 1, sweeping a set from Georgia, the leading Accounting team taking three from Cleveland, Traffic taking the odd game over Government, and Dial winning a 2-to-1 over District, No. 1.

Standard Brands Wins Temple Feature

Standard Brands won two games to one over Warwicks in the Temple Minor League feature, with Truby high for the winners with a 345 game, and Gardiner best for the losers with a 146 game and 355 set. Oscar Noone rolled 146-363 for Atlas.

Miss Gulli Tops Lady Bowlers

Ladies District League results at Lucky Strike included the hosts winning two from Chevy Chase, Convention Hall winning the odd game over Arcadia, Red Circle also winning 2 to 1 over Rendezvous, and Rosslyn defeating Georgetown 2 to 1.

Lorraine Gulli was high for the Lucky Strike team with a 134 game while Georgia Hays, of Chevy Chase, had a 349 game in the losers high game of 628. Ida Weinberg and Caroline Hiser, with 365 and 348, respectively, were high in this match. Lucy Rose had a 130 game and 362 set for Rosslyn, while Nugent, 113, and Harrison, 310, were high for Georgetown.

Parks Bowlers Win in Interior

National Capital Parks No. 1 won the odd game from National Parks Service in the Interior League at Columbia Alleys, and retained their league lead over Survey No. 2, that swept a three game set from Engineers and advanced within a game of the leaders.

Dave Walsh, of Parks No. 1, led the leaders with a 130 game and 364 set, while Bill Flannery was rolling high game for the league with 134. Reclamation No. 1 swept three games from Indian No. 1. High team game and set went to National Parks with 550 and 1,674 counts.

Gus Placos Has Set of 390

Gus Placos had a set of 300 as his Peerless Bakers won three games in the feature match in the Southeast League at Queen Pin Alleys.

Personnel Wins At Lucky Strike

Personnel won two from Miscellaneous in the Ladies' Miscellaneous Facts League at Lucky Strike, with Cunningham high with 119 and 316, while Alcohol Tax No. 1 defeated Technical Staff by a 2-to-1 margin.

Eastern '5' Meets G. W. High Today

In the first of six warm-up encounters it will undergo before beginning a defense of last year's public school cage championship on January 17, Eastern High takes a short trip to Alexandria, Va., today to do battle with the perennially powerful court forces of George Washington High. The other teams Eastern will meet before christening the annual title tourney in a clash with Tech will be Bethesda-Chevy Chase, Gonzaga, Georgetown Frosh, St. John's, and the Navy Plebes.

Starting with today's tilt, the Lincoln Park club will therefore go through a basketball baptism by fire in an effort to season its players. George Washington High, because of the intense training its players go through, is one of the worst threats on the Easterners' pre-series schedule.

Eastern expects to win the interhigh series again this season. It also expects to win the city championship if a game for that mythical title is staged. In support of these expectations, it points first to a new coach, John MacBride, and then at a string of players considered the most promising in early calculations. MacBride is from Indiana, where babies teeth on basketballs, and his first year is expected to be a successful one.

Hoyas Meet American; Terps Host to Clemson

Georgetown Favored Over Eagles In Tilt at American U. Gym; Maryland Underdog Against Invading Clemson

By Jack Munhall.

A pair of attractive collegiate basketball games tonight bring together Georgetown and American, the District's last two undefeated teams, at A. U. at 8 o'clock, and Clemson and Maryland at College Park at the some hour.

Elmer Ripley's Hoyas will rule a heavy choice to score their third victory, but Maryland, beaten twice in as many starts, can only hope for the best against the strong Tigers, who were runners-up in the Southern Conference tournament at Raleigh last season.

Judging by comparative scores, which unfortunately mean little more in basketball than in football, Georgetown should defeat the Eagles by 17 points. The Hoyas beat Western Maryland by 23 points, 46 to 23, while American could whip the same team by only 6 points, 34 to 28.

The main reason Georgetown should win, however, is that it is due for a good performance. Unquestionably a potentially great team, the Hoyas have been anything but great thus far. Against Loyola their passing was ragged, their shooting just fair and their defense sieve-like.

Still Elmer Ripley's boys give evidence they will develop into the Hilltop's best team in many years. They have height—Capt. Joe Murphy and Johnny McGowan, both 6 feet 3 inches. They have speed—Johnny Schmitt and Elmer Rizzi, and they have more than a few experts shots, including Murphy, Ed Kurtyka, who is far from his top form, and Schmitt. McGowan, too, promises to score often, especially from under the basket where his height and natural aggresiveness are valuable.

The Eagles, blessed with a wealth of veteran material, may offer Georgetown surprising resistance. Coach Staff Cassell has a potent scoring trio in Capt. Emerson Bartlett, forward, and Hugo Schulze and Pete Brown, center and guard. Bartlett, a senior and an exceptionally fast and accurate shot, was one of the District's leading scorers last year. Schulze, an all-high guard at Western several years ago, and Brown are both capable all-around players. Rounding out the regular five are Webb, at a forward, and Carl Byham, a 6-foot 4-inch sophomore at a guard.

George Knepley, All-Southern Conference guard, will be Maryland's chief hope for a victory over Clemson. The slender senior currently is in the midst of a great scoring streak, climaxed by seven baskets and a free throw Tuesday night as the Terps lost to Richmond, 41 to 34.

Knepley may find a worthy foe in Clemson's All-Southern Conference center, Banks McFadden, who will be remembered as the fellow who raced 66 yards to a touchdown against George Washington on the first play of their football game at Clemson last season.

The National Collegiate Athletic Association's plan to select America's first undisputed basketball champion places District, Maryland and Virginia teams in a group of 43 colleges of the South. There are eight groups in all, numbering 205 colleges affiliated with the N. C. A. A.

At the end of the season each district will nominate one team as its

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Powell Boys Club To Hold Indoor Meet

Fred Mulvey, director of the Powell Boys Club, has booked a preliminary meet tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock at Powell, in preparation for the Community Center's first annual indoor carnival for boys, to be held in Tech High Gym, Tuesday, December 27, from 7 until 10 p. m.

Events listed include 40 and 50 yard dashes; running high jumps, standing broad jumps, relays, and basketball foul goal shooting. Boys in the 85 pound, 115 pound, 135 pound, and unlimited classes.

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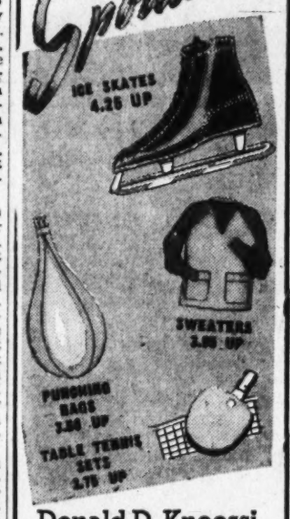

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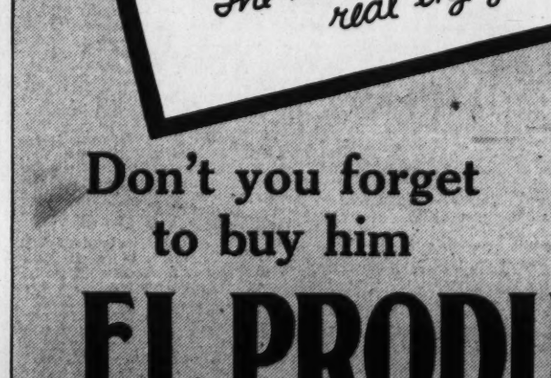

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Local Pros Meet Troy

Heurich Seeks First American League Victory Tonight

The Moes will have it tonight when Carl Husta's Troy, N. Y., Haymakers engage Washington Heurich Brewers in American Basketball League play in Heurich gymnasium, Twenty-sixth and D streets northwest, at 9 o'clock.

Himself a former star with Cleveland's Rosenblums and still active as a player, Husta tonight will introduce to Washingtonians two outstanding American League players in Moe Dubilier, towering center and third-ranking among the American Basketball League's individual scorers with 91 points in his team's first nine games, and Moe Frankel, one of the best all-around men in professional basketball today.

In quest of their first American Basketball League victory after suffering four consecutive defeats, Washington Heurich tonight will counter with a scoring sensation in Mickey Schonfeld, former George Washington University star. In four games thus far Schonfeld has accounted for a 49-point total, an American League-leading average of 12.25 points per contest.

Supplementary features of unusual interest will surround tonight's game. At 8 o'clock Federal Bureau of Investigation is to oppose Regal Clothiers in a Heurich Amateur League game scheduled as the preliminary and dancing to the music of Bernie Jarboe's Night Alphonse (Tuffy) Leemans.

Butterworth May Return to G. W. U. Line-up Next Week

JACK BUTTERWORTH

George Washington's hopes for a successful basketball season were heightened yesterday when Jack Butterworth, star center, returned to practice for the first time in more than two weeks. He has been out with an illness.

The university physician who has been treating the lanky pivotman has allowed Butterworth to participate in mild workouts the last several days, but is keeping him under close observation. Butterworth is not expected to play in the Clemson game tomorrow night, nor against Citadel Saturday. He may, however, be ready to meet Ohio State here on December 23.

Coach Bill Reinhart has been pushing the squad at a rapid pace this week, trying to polish off rough spots evident against Ohio State in the opener Saturday. Eddie Amendola, a sophomore, has replaced Reds Auerbach in the regular line-up. Amendola, whose home is Corona, Long Island, was the Colonials' outstanding player against Ohio State, according to Coach Reinhart.

College Basketball

Muhlenburg	36	Wittenburg	34
W. Reserve	33	Yankton	26
LaSalle	25	Illinois Wes.	23
St. Joseph's	81	W. Maryland	33
Davidson	49	Rand.-Macon	33
Ohio Wes.	74	W. Mich. Trs.	47
Miami (Ohio)	39	Ky. Wesleyan	17
Bowling Gr.	48	Mich. Nor.	41
Mt. Union	27	Youngstown	19
W. and M.	32	N. C. State	28

Western

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giving the Radiers a 6-3 margin at the first quarter horn, but during the period Bob Holloran, one of the two lettermen left over from last year's squad, missed three chances for single-pointers on fouls committed by Kinsman and Whalen. The last of these was missed under very peculiar circumstances. Holloran's effort was actually good—the ball went in the basket—but before it dropped out of the net Hollis jumped high and reversed its direction. The point was not allowed.

The second period saw Bethesda holding a slight edge in point making, the score at the half being 9-8 in favor of the final winners. That, however, was as close as Bethesda was able to get. A missed cinch shot by Gordon (Hots) Harrell, who otherwise played a flawless game for Western, featured the period.

15 Personal Fouls

Price settled Bethesda's chances of catching up immediately after the teams trouped out of the dressing rooms from their rest. He dropped a set shot in the basket without flicking a cord. Ray Brennon and Jimmy Horn followed it with goals of their own, and Western led, 15-8, before Bethesda had found the range. From then on, it was just a case of Bethesda unsuccessfully trying to keep in the game.

A total of 15 personal fouls were recorded during the 32 minutes of actual action. Bethesda was guilty of eight and Western seven. Over and above the frequent times taken out for players to get their chances at foul shots, the game was a fast, exciting one.

Bethesda had no excuses, having its star player, Johnny Shumate, in the lineup during almost the whole game. Shumate was forced to sit out the last Bethesda encounter because of water on his knee. Western's loss of Bob Custer because of studies will be felt by the club, especially during the inter-high series which starts soon after Christmas. The next marks will not be issued until some time in February. Custer was one of the high point scorers in the series last year.

Western	G	FG	P	Beth.-Ch.-Cl.	G	FG	P
Beatty,f	2	1	5	Whalen,f	2	0	4
Harrell,f	1	0	2	Barnsley,f	0	0	0
Brennon,f	2	1	5	Kinsman,f	2	0	4
Hughes,f	0	0	0	Hollis,c	2	2	6
Price,c	3	0	6	Baumfield,g	1	0	2
Dwyer,g	0	0	0	Hayden,g	0	1	1
Horn,g	2	1	5	Shumate,g	0	2	2
Holloran,g	1	1	3				
Totals	11	4	26	Totals	6	6	18

Personal foul (Western)—Beatty (2), Price (3), Horn, Holloran. (Bethesda)—Whalen, Kinsman (3), Hollis (2), Hayden (2). Score at half—Western, 9; Bethesda, 8. Referee—Latona (Georgetown).

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succeeded in sustaining fan-interest to the finish of the season with resultant profits.

The Yankees can be excused for their unwillingness to make deals. They are on top, strongly fortified, and showing no weaknesses. But every other club in the league needs bolstering if the Yanks are to be headed off. They are in a position where they must gamble on trades. But the American League is the do-nothing league of these meetings. It is steeped in caution and for that caution it is paying through the nose.

Anacostia

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by which it lead at the half dwindled to a mere five with the opening of the final period, but it forged ahead to win easily. The loss which it suffered at the hands of Georgetown Frosh to open its season seems to have aided its fighting spirit.

Anacostia.	G	FG	P	Devitt.	G	FG	P
Pascoe,f	2	2	6	Kemp,f	2	1	5
Anderson,f	3	0	6	Vermillion,f	4	7	15
Koontz,c	2	0	4	Dravo,f	0	0	0
Clark,g	2	0	4	C.Stanton,c	2	0	4
Gordon,g	1	1	3	L.Stanton,g	5	0	10
Earnshaw,g	0	2	2	Holland,g	1	0	2
				Crawford,g	0	0	0
Totals	10	5	25	Totals	14	8	38

Referee—Keppel.

Procurement Five Is Swamped, 65-16

Fred Burgess Leads Victors' Attack With 20 Points; Agriculture Wins; Chambers and Dapper Dan Triumph

The unbeaten FBI cagers registered their third straight win to continue in a three-cornered tie for first place in the United States Government Cage League by crushing the Procurement team last night, 65 to 16, at the Bolling Field gym. Fred Burgess, former G. W. star, led the FBI attack with 20 points. At halftime the G-men led, 36 to 8. This was the third straight defeat for the losers.

In the second game of the twin bill the Bureau of Engraving quint went down to defeat at the hands of Department of Agriculture basketeers, 44 to 32, in a hard-fought tilt. The Aggies showed the way in the opening frame, 26 to 6, but were outscored in the final half. Bill Meek and Henry Weigle featured the winners' scoring offense, with Boyle best for the plate printers. This was the third victory in four starts for the Aggies.

Tomorrow night at Bolling Field FBI tackles Marine Barracks at 9:20 with Procurement meeting Bolling Field at 7 p. m. and GAO taking on the Fort Myer team at 8:10 in a triple-header.

Chambers Wins Handily

Coming back strong following their recent fall before Delaware & Hudson, W. W. Chambers Co. tossers last night doubled the score on Little Tavern in the Heurich Amateur Basketball League play, 62 to 31.

Chambers Co. had gained a 30-to-13 command at the half and was never extended. Folliard and Viana paced the attack with 10 points each.

Trans-Lux Hour Glass threw a scare into Dapper Dan by taking a 24-to-18 lead at the intermission, but Tipton, Dapper Dan's high scoring forward, made good with an 18-point bombardment, to provide the winning margin, 45 to 41.

United Clay products defeated Hot Shoppes in a loosely played game, 39 to 32.

U. S. GOVERNMENT LEAGUE

FBI	G	F.	T.	PROCURE.	G	F.	T.
Waters,f	4	0	8	Wilson,f	0	0	0
Apel,f	5	0	10	Hammock,f	0	0	0
Burgess,f	10	0	20	Varella,f	0	0	0
Reiser,c	2	0	4	Settle,f	1	0	2
Robinson,c	5	0	10	Harris,c	2	0	4
Jones,g	0	2	2	Brown,c	2	0	4
Dean,g	1	0	2	Holbruner,g	2	0	4
Lynch,g	3	3	9	Reed,g	1	0	2
Totals	30	5	65	Totals	8	0	16

Referee—Latona.

AGRICUL.	G.	F.	T.	ENGRAV.	G.	F.	T.
Weigle,f	5	1	11	Quigley,f	2	1	5
Shannon,f	1	0	2	Brown,f	3	0	6
Meek,f	5	2	12	Healy,f	2	0	4
Ward,f	0	0	0	Hawkins,c	2	0	4
Given,c	2	0	4	Graves,c	1	1	3
Boeckman,c	1	0	2	Boyle,g	4	0	8
Holloway,g	1	1	3	Mitchell,g	0	0	0
Chambers,g	1	0	2	Hodgkins,g	1	0	2
Pounders,g	2	0	4				
Miller,g	1	0	2				
Freedman,g	1	0	2				
Totals	20	4	44	Totals	15	2	32

Referee—Latona.

SOUTHEAST COMMUNITY CENTER LEAGUE

COMM.	G.	F.	T.	CLOVERS	G.	F.	T.
Merchant,f	2	0	4	McVean,f	1	2	4
Stanbly,f	0	0	0	Lilly,f	1	1	3
Zanellotte,f	0	0	0	Noonan,f	2	0	4
Stanbly,f	0	0	0	Basin,c	3	3	9
Kessner,c	0	0	0	Robey,g	2	1	5
Williamson,c	2	1	5	Wiler,g	0	1	1
Fillaha,g	0	0	0	Conovan,g	1	0	2
Manders,g	3	1	7				
Batson,g	1	0	2				
Clark,g	1	0	2				
Totals	9	2	20	Totals	10	8	28

Referee—Cohen.

Government-Y. M. C. A. League

Farm Credit.	G.	F.	T.	G.A.O.-P.O.D.	G.	F.	T.
Fallon,f	0	0	0	Black,f	4	4	12
Fitzgerald,f	2	0	4	Francin,f	7	0	14
Flynn,f	3	2	8	Risley,c	4	2	10
Oates,c	0	0	0	Dalton,c	1	0	2
Jordan,c	2	0	4	Beck,g	1	1	3
Holmes,g	1	0	2	Ross,g	0	0	0
Washburn,g	1	1	3	Gallagher,g	3	1	7
Snyder,g	0	0	0				
Learmouth,g	0	0	0				
Totals	9	3	21	Totals	20	8	48

Referee—Thorne.

Archives.	G.	F.	T.	Social Security Bd.	G.	F.	T.
Howell,f	0	0	0	Boger,f	2	3	7
Keegan,f	0	0	0	Kennedy,f	0	0	0
Henderson,f	0	0	0	White,f	1	1	3
Davis,f	0	0	0	Miller,f	0	0	0
Kimberly,f	0	0	0	Gibson,c	2	2	6
Nivert,c	2	2	6	Bywater,c	0	0	0
Mabbut,g	0	0	0	Howells,g	0	2	2
Crum,g	0	0	0	James,g	1	1	3
Gibbins,g	0	0	0	Patterson,g	0	0	0
Luton,g	0	0	0	Tobalski,g	0	0	0
Totals	4	2	10	Totals	6	9	21

Referee—Miller.

Public Health.	G.	F.	T.	Patent Office.	G.	F.	T.
Kannard,f	3	2	8	Rosenbaum,f	2	2	6
Rouner,f	0	0	0	Boys,f	2	0	4
McPhail,f	2	1	5	Gallagher,f	1	0	2
Davis,f	0	0	0	Webb,c	3	1	7
Carter,c	0	0	0	Haskell,g	1	0	2
Ford,c	3	1	7	Diggle,g	3	0	6
Washburn,g	0	0	0				
Bozaard,g	0	0	0				
Bayes,g	1	1	3				
Totals	9	5	23	Totals	12	3	27

Referee—Miller.

Bureau Standards.	G.	F.	T.	For. & Dom.	G.	F.	T.
Ertel,f	7	1	15	Tantillo,f	5	1	11
Barnwell,f	0	1	1	Sexton,f	4	1	9
Pigman,f	0	0	0	Santos,c	1	1	3
Setapen,f	0	0	0	Wolfman,g	2	0	4
Hamilton,c	1	0	2	Young,g	0	0	0
Brown,c	0	0	0	Quirk,g	0	0	0
Steele,c	0	0	0	Salyer,g	1	0	2
Bausch,g	7	0	14				
Swindell,g	1	1	3				
Totals	16	3	35	Totals	13	3	29

Referee—Gunn.

Library of Congress.	G.	F.	T.	State.	G.	F.	T.
McCullough,f	2	1	5	Angelo,f	0	0	0
Kennerly,f	4	0	8	Kennaga,f	0	0	0
Angle,c	3	0	6	Thomas,f	1	0	2
Garlick,c	0	0	0	Dehn,f	0	1	1
Corwin,c	0	0	0	Veatch,c	1	0	2
Labelle,g	1	0	2	Phillips,g	0	1	1
Cornelius,g	4	0	8	G. Thomas,g	0	0	0
Eaton,g	0	2	2	Kisicki,g	2	2	6
				Stanneback,g	0	0	0
Totals	11	3	25	Totals	3	4	10

Referee—Buckles.

COMMUNITY CENTER LEAGUE

Treasury	G	FG	P	Un. Type Co.	G	FG	P
Russell,f	2	0	4	Reid	4	0	8
Hill,f	2	0	4	Kibler	0	0	0
McKenzie	0	0	0	Hensley	1	0	2
Suess	0	0	0	Herbert	5	0	10
Orlof	0	0	0	Yabst	0	0	0
Horn	0	0	0	Leimbach	0	0	0
				Mason	0	0	0
				Pope	0	0	0
				Gray	4	0	8
				Frye	2	2	6
Totals	6	1	13	Totals	16	2	34

Ar. Med. C.	G	FG	P	McLean	G	FG	P
Taylor,f	8	3	19	Shear,f	5	1	11
Emmons,f	1	1	3	Morris,f	0	1	1
Hancock,f	2	1	5	Richardson,f	6	0	12
Groves,g	0	0	0	Faidley,f	0	0	0
Kenyon,g	0	0	0	Richie,g	0	0	0
Thorpe,g	0	0	0	J. Shear,g	0	0	0
Mittler,f	0	0	0	Morris,g	0	0	0
Sause,f	2	0	4	McGuffins,g	0	0	0
Collins,f	0	0	0				
Brewer,f	0	0	0				
Doody,g	0	0	0				
Hackett,g	0	0	0				
Totals	13	5	31	Totals	11	2	24

Fed. Trade	G	FG	P	Agriculture	G	FG	P
Olson,f	0	0	0	O'Neil	6	1	13
Kaler,f	1	2	4	P. Haley	3	2	8
Drumm,f	1	1	3	O'Steen	0	0	0
Bledsoe,c	0	0	0	Mannix	3	2	8
Bruns,c	0	0	0	Estes	0	0	0
Foss,c	0	0	0	Fyke	0	0	0
Johnson,f	3	0	6	Kahanov	0	0	0
Cuthbert,g	0	0	0	Collins	0	0	0
Roos,g	0	0	0	Flaherty	0	0	0
Totals	5	3	13	Totals	12	5	29

Bu. Eng.	G	FG	P	FBI	G	FG	P
Bank,f	0	0	0	Hall	0	0	0
Blakeman,f	3	2	8	L. Ward	0	1	1
Hicks,f	0	1	1	P. Lutz	3	3	9
Wilkinson,f	0	0	0	Shermer	2	0	4
Earnest,g	0	0	0	O. Ward	0	0	0
Helkkela,g	0	0	0	Wolt	0	0	0
Williamson,g	0	0	0	G. Lutz	0	0	0
Jarrell	0	0	0	Harrison	0	2	2
Totals	3	3	9	Totals	5	6	16

HEURICH LEAGUE

Dap. Dan	G	FG	P	Trans-Lux	G	FG	P
Mitchell,f	5	1	11	Anderson,f	4	0	8
Tipton,f	8	2	18	Counselman,f	0	1	1
Stanton,c	1	0	2	Novicke,f	1	0	2
Edelin,g	2	0	4	Hickey,c	5	3	13
McCarthy,g	2	0	4	Palmer,g	3	0	6
Durkin,g	3	0	6	Halloran,g	5	1	11
Totals	21	3	45	Totals	18	5	41

Referee—Adkins. Score at half—Trans-Lux 24-18.

W.W.Cham.	G	FG	P	L'tle Tavern	G	FG	P
Viana,f	4	2	10	Scott,f	1	0	2
Walker,f	2	2	6	Crisafulli,f	1	0	2
Mosier,g	1	1	3	Fanning,f	3	1	7
Vermillion,f	3	1	7	Dobyns,c	5	2	12
Burns,c	3	1	7	Wicklein,g	2	0	4
Smith,c	3	0	6	Freund,g	0	0	0
Sullivan,g	3	0	6	Glynn,g	1	0	2
Roland,g	3	1	7				
Folliard,g	4	2	10	Totals	14	3	31
Totals	26	10	62				

Referee—Adkins. Score at half—W. W. Chambers, 30-13.

Uted Clay	G	FG	P	Hot Shoppes	G	FG	P
Silverstein,f	2	0	4	Frasher,f	0	0	0
Schaeffer,f	2	0	4	H. Brown,f	1	0	2
Fishrein,f	5	6	16	Lund,f	1	3	5
Ryan,c	1	0	2	Russo,f	0	1	1
Cohen,g	2	1	5	Doering,c	2	0	4
George,g	0	0	0	Marriott,c	0	0	12
Clohessy,g	4	0	8	Fox,g	1	3	5
				McCreavy,g	0	0	0
Totals	16	7	39	E. Brown,g	0	0	0
				Totals	11	10	32

Referee—Adkins. Score at half—United Clay, 19-8.

College

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representative in post-season series which will be held some time in March. Dates and sites for these series have not yet been decided upon, but it is expected the four-team clash east of the Mississippi will be held March 10-11 or March 17-18 at New York or Philadelphia. Winners of sectional frays will meet the following week for the championship.

Chairman of the committee governing the group which embraces District, Maryland and Virginia colleges is Curtis Parker, Centenary College, Ga. His assistants are Roy Mundorff, Georgia School of Technology, and Kenneth Gregory, Atlanta, Ga.

States in the group are Maryland, Virginia, North and South Carolina, Alabama, Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia and Florida.

Majors

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mended a "college amendment" for adoption tomorrow, and for adoption later by the minor leagues. This amendment prohibits professional clubs from signing college players before they have graduated—or before their class has graduated, in case they leave school—except in special cases approved by the college board of athletic control.

Student Concert To Be Repeated

Repetitions of the first concert in the annual students' series being given this season by the National Symphony Orchestra will be played today and tomorrow at 3:30 p. m. with Ernest Schelling, eminent conductor, composer and pianist, on the podium.

Today's concert will be given in the auditorium of Roosevelt High School. Tomorrow's program will be played at Eastern High School.

The program, which is a repetition of the one given Monday at Woodrow Wilson High School, will include compositions by Mendelssohn, Wagner, Pierne, Bach, Mozart and Borodin.

Tickets for both concerts are available at the National Symphony box office, Julius Garfinckel & Co. store, or at either high school.

How N. Y. Woman Lost 239 Pounds In 20 Months Told

The case of a woman who lost 239 pounds in 20 months is reported in the current issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association.

Weighing 395½ pounds when she was taken in charge by Dr. James J. Short, of New York, the patient tipped the scales at 156½ when she was discharged from treatment less than two years later. A balanced diet of 600 calories daily, with thyroid extract prescribed to stablize the energy output, did the work.

Dr. Short reported that the woman's health remained excellent. The result led him to conclude that there is practically no limit in the extent to which excess weight may be removed by submaintenance diets, provided they contain adequate protein, minerals and vitamins and moderate amounts of carbohydrate.

Such dairy products as skim milk and cottage cheese were valuable in providing calcium and phosphorus, he said. To insure sufficient vitamins, these were given in concentrated form.

Navy Gets Back Money on Ships For First Time

The Navy yesterday got money back for the first time on a contract awarded for ship building.

Henry R. Sutphen, vice president of the Electric Boat Co., handed Secretary of the Navy Swanson a check for $189,807 in payment of a refund due to the Government on contracts for construction of the submarines Perch, Pickerel and Permit, which were finished ahead schedule. (The Vinson-Trammell act limits profits on construction of naval vessels to 10 per cent.)

Sutphen told Secretary Swanson: "Upon the completion of our first contract under the Vinson-Trammell act we concluded we should account under the law for our work . . . The work all was finished ahead of time—the last submarine 66 days ahead, and, I understand from Admiral Leahy, that the three vessels are now with the fleet."

Col. Morningstar, Of Dental Corps, Dies Here at 51

Lieut. Col. James G. Morningstar, 51, Dental Corps, United States Army, retired, died yesterday in Walter Reed Hospital.

A native of Greenville, Ohio, he was graduated from the University of Michigan in 1908 and was appointed a dental surgeon in the Army eight years later. In the World War he was promoted to major and in 1920 was on duty here in the surgeon general's office.

He retired from active duty three years ago. He was attached to the Army general dispensary here from August, 1925, until November, 1926.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. Ruby R. Morningstar; of 615 East Leland street, Chevy Chase, Md.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a. m. Saturday at the Pumphrey funeral chapel, 7005 Wisconsin avenue, Bethesda, Md., with burial at 11 a. m. in Arlington Cemetery. Chaplain Alfred C. Oliver will officiate.

Citizens' Group Head Hails Mutual Health Service

Proposed establishment of the Mutual Health Service was called "a step in the right direction" yesterday by Walter Woehlke upon his election as president of the Citizens Committee for Medical Freedom.

The plan is being voted on by members of the District Medical Society.

"The Citizens Committee," Woehlke said, "praises the medical society for its progressive action in proposing a scheme which includes the principle of budgeting medical costs for low-income groups. . . .

"We hope these doctors will carry out the plan and that they will recognize the rights of medical co-operatives. . . ."

Paul Lewinson was elected vice president; George Halverson, secretary; Bernard Cahn, treasurer, and Jacob Baker, Mrs. Nina P. Collier, A. C. Edwards, John R. Fleming, Philip Glick and L. A. Halbert executive members.

Carl Thoner Dies; Former Newspaper Cameraman Here

Carl T. Thoner, 50, former Washington newspaper photographer, died yesterday at Bay Pines Veterans Hospital in Tampa, Fla., of a heart attack, the Associated Press reported.

Thoner was well known in Washington 15 years ago as an action photographer for the Washington Times. He later joined the staff of the Tampa Tribune, resigning three years ago because of ill health.

A native of Boston, Mr. Thoner recently had been working on a series of color photographs for a Government project in Florida.

In the World War he served overseas with the United States Signal Corps, and he was a captain in the reserve.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Rose Forrest Thoner; his mother, a brother and three sisters, all of Boston.

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61836—National Capitol Lodge, No. 980, vs. Nacalo Assoc., Inc., et al. Attys., Dobbins—Derricotte.

53407—Creel vs. Creel. Attys., Tobriner, Graham,

Grains Advance As Corn Soars 1¼ Cents a Bu.

Scarcity of Offerings Of Futures Leads To Active Buying

By the Associated Press.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—Corn became the grain market leader today, and hit 1¼ cents a bushel rise, stimulating ⅞ of a cent rise in wheat.

Unusual scarcity of offerings of corn futures aroused misgivings on the part of traders short of supplies needed to fill speculative contracts. Somewhat flurried purchasing power ensued, and all grains climbed as a consequence. Part of the upward impetus of grain values was credited to the influence of stock market bulges.

At the close, Chicago corn futures were ⅞ to 1¼ cents higher, compared with yesterday's finish; December, 50¾@50⅞; May, 52⅞@53. Wheat ½ to ⅞ cents up; December, 64½@64⅝; May, 67⅛@67¼. Oats unchanged to ⅛ cent advance. Rye showed ¼ to ⅜ cent lift, and provisions a hoist of 2 to 7 cents.

Futures Price Range

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat:				
December	63¾	64⅝	63⅜	64⅝
March	66⅜	66⅞	66⅜	66⅞
May	66⅜	67⅛	66⅜	67⅛
July	66⅛	66⅞	66	66⅞
Corn:				
December	49⅜	50⅞	49⅜	50⅞
March	52⅜	52⅝	52⅜	52⅝
May	51⅞	53	51⅞	53
July	52⅜	53⅞	52½	53⅞
Oats:				
December	28½	28⅝	28⅛	28⅝
May	28⅜	28¾	28⅜	28¾
July	27¾	27¾	27½	27¾
Soy beans:				
December	78¾	80	78¾	80
May	80⅜	82½	80¾	82½
July	81¾	82¾	81¾	82¾
Rye:				
December	42¾	42⅞	42¾	42⅞
May	45	45⅛	44⅞	45⅛
July	45¼	45½	44¾	45⅜
Lard:				
December	6.75	6.77	6.75	6.77
January	6.80	6.85	6.77	6.85
March	7.25	7.32	7.25	7.32
May	7.45	7.50	7.40	7.50

Cash Grain Prices

WHEAT—No. 2 Dark Northern, 66½; sample mixed, 60.

CORN—No. 2 mixed, 52¼; Nos. 3 and 4, 51¼; Nos. 1 and 2 yellow, 52¼@52½; No. 1 white, 55½; No. 2, 55.

OATS—No. 1 white, 31¼; No. 2, 30½; sample, 25@29.

SOY BEANS—No. 2 yellow, 81; No. 3, 79¾@81; No. 4, 79¾.

BARLEY—Illinois, 35@36 nominal; Wisconsin, 58@68 nominal; Iowa, 48@59 nominal; Minnesota, 48@60 nominal; No. 3, 54.

SEED—Timothy, 2.95@3.15; red clover, 13.00@18.00; red top, 8.75@9.25.

Extra and Regular Dividends Voted

New York, Dec. 14 (AP).—Directors of Cuneo Press, Inc., big Chicago printing firm, today declared an extra dividend of 75 cents a share on common stock and announced their intention to increase the regular quarterly dividend to be paid in February to 75 cents from 50 cents now paid. The extra is payable Jan. 12 to holders of record Dec. 30.

Technicolor, Inc.

Technicolor, Inc., directors today declared a dividend of 15 cents a share on the common stock, payable Dec. 28 to stock of record Dec. 21. This brought dividend in 1938 to $1, compared with a total of 75 cents in 1937.

Parker Rust-proof Co.

Parker Rust-proof Co. declared a quarterly dividend on the common of 25 cents a share, payable March 1 to stock of record Feb. 10. On Dec. 1 directors ordered a disbursement of 22½ cents a share.

Cleveland Graphite Co.

Cleveland, Dec. 14.—Directors of Cleveland Graphite Bronze Co. today declared a year-end dividend of 25 cents a share on common stock, payable Dec. 30 to holders of record Dec. 23. Company paid three dividends of 25 cents each earlier this year and $1.30 a share in December last year.

Hamilton Nat'l. Votes Dividend of 2½%

Directors of the Hamilton National Bank yesterday declared a dividend of 2½ per cent, payable February 1 to shareholders of record January 23. At the same meeting the directors voted to transfer $25,000 to surplus account, this action increasing surplus to $700,000.

East Washington Bank

The board of trustees of the East Washington Savings Bank yesterday declared a regular semi-annual dividend of 1 per cent on the outstanding stock. Both dividends will be paid December 31 to shareholders of record December 23.

Bank Stocks

New York, Dec. 14 (AP) (Investment Bankers Conf. Inc.)

Bank and Trust	Bid.	Asked.
Bk of AmNTS (SF) (2.40)	23¼	25¼
Bank of Man (.80a)	15½	17
Bankers Tr (2) XD	43	45
Brooklyn Tr (4)	73	78
Cen Man BkeTr (4)	82½	85½
Chase Nat (1.40)	31	33
Chem Bk & Tr (1.80)	40	42
Commercial (8)	141	147
Cont Bk & Tr (.80)	14	15½
Corn Ex Bk & T (3)	48½	49½
Empire Tr (.60)	14¼	15¼
First Nat (Bos) (2)	38	40
First Natl (100) XD	1600	1640
Guaranty Tr (12)	231	236
Irving Tr (.60)	9¼	10¼
Manufacturers Tr (2)	39½	41¼
Manufacturers Tr pf (2)	52¼	54¼
Natl City (1)	32¾	34¼
N Y Trust (5)	83	86
Public (1½)	28¾	30¼
Title G & T	5¾	6¾
Insurance		
Aetna Cas (3a)	107½	111½
Aetna Ins (1.60)	46	48
Aetna Life (1a)	25½	26¾
Am Equit (1)	24½	26
Am Ins N wk (1½a)	12	13½
Am Reins (1.60)	38¾	40¾
Am Reserve (1½)	27½	29
Am Surety (2½)	49¾	51¾
Automobile (1a)	32¾	34¾
Balt Amer (.20a)	4	7
Carolina (1.30)	23	24½
City of NY (1.20)	19¼	20¾
Conn Gen Life (.80)	25¼	26¾
Contin Cas (1.20a)	35	37
Fid & Dep (4a)	113	115
Firemen's Nwk (.30)	8¼	9½
Frank Fire (1a)	28	29½
Gen Reinsur (1a)	42¼	43¾
Glens Falls (1.60) XD	44¼	46¼
Globe & Rep (1½)	10¾	12¾
Globe & Rut	24	27
Gt Amer Ins (1a)	23¼	24¾
Hanover (1.60)	29¼	30¾
Hartford Fire (2) XD	74½	76½
Home Fire Sec	2	3
Home Ins (1a)	29	30½
Homestead (1)	16	17½
Knickerbocker (½)	9	10
Lincoln Fire	2¾	2¾
Maryland Cas	1¾	4¾
Mass Bond (3½)	53	55½
Merc Ins Pr	4	6
Natl Fire (2)	61¾	63¾
Natl Liberty (.60a)	7¼	8¼
N Hampshire (1.80)	45	47
N Y Fire (.70e)	14½	16
Nor River (1)	24¾	26¼
Phoenix (2a)	77	81
Prov Wash (1)	33	34
Revere (P) In (1.20a)	22¼	23¾
Rh Isl Ins (.40)	4	6
Rossia Ins	4¼	5¼
St Paul Fire (8)	227	232
Springfield (4½a)	116	119
Sun Life (15)	415	465
Travelers (16)	444	454
U S Fid & G	17	18¼
U S Fire (2)	49½	51½
Westchester (1.20a)	31¼	33¼

(a) Also extra or extras.
(e) Declared or paid so far this year.
(x) Paid last year.

The Day's Movements In Leading Markets

Stocks

Advances	625	405
Declines	142	328
Unchanged	162	203
Total issues	929	846

Aviation shares lead rise in active market; volume, 1,965,045.

Bonds

Rail issues lead broad advance; transfers, $12,427,750.

Curb

Industrials in demand; turnover, 335,000.

Commodities

Wheat and cotton higher; sugar steady; coffee lower.

Exchange

Higher; Great Britain, $4.67⅛; France, 2.62⅞ cents.

Cotton Higher; December 8.43

New York, Dec. 14 (AP).—Cotton today recovered practically all of Tuesday's losses on covering and trade buying. December closed 22 points net higher, while other months were 5 to 7 higher. March, which had advanced from 8.10 to 8.31, closed at 8.20.

The market opened 1 point higher to 4 points lower in mixed trading. December was steady owing to the issuance of only one notice. Other months at first reflected the effects of easier Liverpool cables, but were soon influenced by December. A firmer technical position following yesterday's liquidation helped the tone. Some buying appeared through commission houses to carry the list up to net advances of 16 to 22 points.

Futures Price Range

	High.	Low.	Last.
December	8.43	8.22	8.43
January	8.31	8.13	8.24
March	8.31	8.10	8.20
May	8.11	7.90	7.99
July	7.84	7.61	7.70
October	7.50	7.30	7.39

Spot nominal; middling, 8.65.

Cottonseed Oil

Cottonseed oil was firm and active today on covering and increased commission house buying, encouraged by firmness of cotton and allied markets. Final prices were 9 to 18 points net higher with sales of 453 contracts. December closed 7.55, January, 7.55; March, 7.74; May, 7.83; July, 7.88.

Newhall Named Sales Executive of Goodrich

New York, Dec. 14.—Arthur B. Newhall, of Watertown, Mass., today was elected executive vice president in full charge of all production and sales of the B. F. Goodrich Company, it was announced following a special meeting of the board of directors. He also was appointed a member of the executive committee.

This action follows the election of Mr. Newhall to the board of directors in October at which time he was named a vice president of the company. Mr. Newhall is president and director of the Hood Rubber Company, a wholly owned subsidiary of Goodrich.

Production of Newsprint Hits Peak for Year

November Output Set At 353,329 Tons, and October 351,605 Tons

Montreal, Dec. 14.—North American newsprint production in November totaled 353,329 tons, the highest since December of last year and comparing with 351,605 tons in October and 398,860 tons in November of last year, according to the Newsprint Association of Canada, the Wall Street Journal reported yesterday.

Production in Canadian mills in November declined from both October and November, 1937, figures while American mills were above October but below November, 1937.

During November Canadian mills operated at 69.34 per cent of capacity as against 72.3 per cent in October, and which was 19 per cent under November, 1937. Production in United States mills was 78,390 tons against 78,827 tons in October and 80,264 tons in November, last year.

Shipments from Canadian mills were 264,421 tons against 357,240 in November, last year, a reduction of 26 per cent. Shipments from United States mills were 76,278 tons against 83,887 tons in November, last year, a reduction of 9.1 per cent.

Stocks of all North American manufacturers at the end of November stood at 245,415 tons, as compared with 268,910 tons at the end of the previous month.

Columbia Building Re-elects Officers

Five members of the board of directors of the Columbia Permanent Building Association were re-elected to a three-year term at the annual meeting last night. They were Melvin Hazen, L. Perry West, C. Clinton James and John Saul. At the same time all officers were reappointed to their positions.

The complete roster comprises Melvin C. Hazen, president; William P. Richards, vice president; Floyd E. Davis, treasurer; Fred A. Smith, secretary; C. Clinton James, attorney and Evelyn E. Smith, assistant secretary. Full directorate include the first five officers and Alfred H. Taylor, Howard R. Norton, James A. Soper, Walter G. Davis Ernest M. Colvin, L. Perry West and John Saul.

Columbia Permanent, established in 1903 reports total resources in excess of $1,775,000 and has four directors who have served continuously since organization. They are Commissioner Melvin C. Hazen, C. Clinton James, Floyd E. Davis and Walter G. Davis.

U. S. Treasury Receipts

By the Associated Press.

The position of the Treasury December 12:

Receipts, $28,106,815,88; expenditures, $35,773,252.61; net balance, $2,342,831,-762.38, including $1,719,676,376.20; working balance; customs receipts for the month, $11,016,350.27.

Receipts for the fiscal year (since July 1) $2,404,280,200.09; expenditures, $3,985,-172,713.22, including $1,332,161,166.86 of emergency expenditures; excess of expenditures, $1,580,892,513.13; gross debt, $36,-672,076,437.28, an increase of $2,007,431.22 above the previous day; gold assets, $14,-378,421,606.81.

The Market

By C. Norman Stabler,
A Special Correspondent.

Stocks Advance in Active Trading Steel and Aviation Shares Take Lead Business News Continues Encouraging

New York, Dec. 14.—Favorable mid-week business news helped the stock market break out of its recent narrow rut on the upside today in a continuation of a move which got under way in the closing hour of the previous day. The bulge, which added 0.85 point, to the average value of the market, carried a long list of speculative favorites up 1 to 3 points and it was accompanied by the heaviest trading in about a month, a total of 1,965,054 shares changing hands.

Aviation, motor, steel and metal shares were in the forefront but each group joined in the upward trend. The better grade rails also were exceptionally buoyant. The breadth of the market expanded to include 929 individual issues and of these 625 showed advances while only 142 carried minus signs while 162 were unchanged. It was the best bullish demonstration since the market completed its rise of early November.

Chart followers were interested in the fact that the rise carried both the average of the industrials and of the rails through previous closing highs, the industrials bettering their mark of December 7 and the rails topping their best which was made on November 30.

Business News Optomistic

The nature of business news was encouraging. Based on the latest statistics available, better-than-seasonal performances have been turned in on car loadings, coal production, automobile production and electrical power output. Building awards on heavy engineering projects continued in a relatively good volume. Steel activity is easily only moderately under the normal seasonal influences. The power output last week was the second highest on record.

The day brought other minor bits of favorable business news which indicated that 1938 is going to close on a strong note. Rubber consumption in this country in November was above expectations and the statistical positions of the oil and paper industries have been improved. In addition, there is always the influence of governmental spending, which, however, is a two-edged sword, as the liberality which brings relief to some industries is steadily increasing the tax problem for all industries and individuals. President Roosevelt has raised the limit of FHA loans a billion dollars to $3,000,000,000.

Aviation Stock Higher

Armament possibilities continued to be the chief influence behind the activity in the aviation issues today. The most active stock of the day was North American Aviation, up ⅞ to a new high, while Sperry soared 3, Glenn Martin was up 2⅜ and United Aircraft 1⅜. Douglas gained 1¾, Wright Aero 1½ and Boeing a fraction.

Reo was a feature on the downside following receivership news, but others were strong. General Motors adding ¾ and Chrysler 2¼. Goodyear was the most active member of the accessory division, closing up more than a point.

Rail Buying Aids Steel

Steels were aided by evidence that the railroads are coming into the market, and Bethlehem ran up more than 2 points with United States Steel and Republic doing almost as well. The strength in the rails is tied to the better run in traffic, coupled with an improved business outlook, promising bigger loadings. The regional advisory board for roads in the Pittsburgh area predicts that loadings for the first quarter will be nearly 25 per cent better than for the same period this year, reflecting a bullish opinion of steel operations for that period. Another influence behind these shares is the conviction of many students of the rails that Congress will be willing to pass some railroad legislation which will do more than merely increase the ability of the carriers to borrow from the Federal Government.

Bond List Advances

Listed bond trading was unusually active today and prices moved higher in all the speculative sections on a turnover of $12,428,000. The session was the most active since June 7, 1938. High grade bonds were quiet and firm, while cheaper issues with a speculative tinge surged forward. Railroad bonds were in particular demand, but good buying finally appeared also in Latin-American default obligations, dwing to the moves for strengthening trade.

Secondary rail liens moved briskly upward and net gains at the close ranged from fractions to four points. There were a few declines, but chiefly in inactive bonds. Default rails joined the upswing on a small scale. Rail and utility holding bonds did well, and industrial convertibles also improved owing to advances in related equities. The communications group proved weak, but local tractions attracted buying. Commodity bonds and other special groups joined the advance.

Foreign Issues Gain

Latin-American default liens were active in the foreign section, and generally higher by good fractions. Brazilian, Peruvian and Colombian issues were in best demand. Argentines also advanced, but these high grade issues change more slowly than the more speculative securities. Canadian, Australian and Scandinavian obligations had a good tone. Italian and Japanese issues reflected a little buying, but Polish bonds fell. German and other European default bonds were dull.

United States Treasury issues were maintained at previous levels, with most of the activity still centered in the new bonds and notes, over the counter. Guaranteed securities of the farm and home corporations were dull. Best grade utility, railroad and industrial bonds held at or close to the highs of the year, although most interests were aloof while awaiting the new Colorado Public Service offering.

15 Most Active Stocks

Special Dispatch to The Post.

New York, Dec. 14.—The 15 most active Stock Exchange issues today were:

	Volume.	Close.	Net Ch.
No. Amer. Avia.	42,700	17⅞	+ ⅞
General Motors	37,400	50¼	+ ⅜
Reo Motor	36,100	1¼	— ⅛
U. S. Steel	31,600	66⅜	+ 1⅞
Republic Steel	30,200	24¼	+ 1⅝
N. Y. Central	27,600	19¼	+ ⅞
Sperry Corp.	25,200	48⅞	+ 3
Martin, G. L.	23,400	34½	+ 2⅜
Gen. Electric	23,100	44¼	+ 2
Paramount	22,400	12½	+ ⅛
Goodyear T. & R.	22,200	37⅛	+ 1⅛
United Aire	21,000	41⅝	+ 1⅜
U. S. Rubber	20,700	52½	+ 1⅞
Chrysler	20,000	83½	+ 2¼
Int. Tel. & Tel.	19,500	9½	+ ½

Volume, 15 stocks, 403,100 shares.
Ratio to total volume, 20.5 per cent.

Transactions on N. Y. Bond Market

By the Associated Press.

Total bond sales yesterday, $12,427,750; previous day, $10,224,000; week ago, $8,513,475; year ago, $7,469,200; two years ago, $16,095,000; January 1 to date, $1,731,229,575; year ago, $2,685,647,250; two years ago, $3,411,962,000.

Range of United States Government Issues

(Sales in $1,000. Dollars and 32ds.)

1938 High.	1938 Low.	Dec. 14. Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Net Change.	Closing Bid.	Closing Ask.	Yield.
110.5	107.2	1	Treasury 3¼s, 1945-43	109.26	109.26	109.26	.....	109.27	109.29	1.13
110.3	107	3	Treasury 3¼s, 1946-44	109.28	109.28	109.28	— .1	109.29	109.31	1.30
114.23	111.22	1	Treasury 4s, 1954-44	114.7	114.7	114.7	— .2	114.6	114.8	1.51
107.4	103.25	7	Treasury 2¾s, 1947-45	107.3	107	107.3	+ .1	107.1	107.3	1.63
113.18	110.8	2	Treasury 3¾s, 1956-46	113.10	113.10	113.10	+ .1	113.10	113.13	1.77
118.30	117.7	4	Treasury 4¼s, 1952-47 reg.	118.30	118.30	118.30	+ .14	.....	.....	.....
105.13	101	1	Treasury 2½s, 1948	105.12	105.12	105.12	+ .3	105.11	105.13	1.89
102.21	99.18	6	Treasury 2½s, 1953-49	102.20	102.20	102.20	+ .2	102.19	102.20	2.23
102.26	100.4	36	Treasury 2½s, 1952-50	102.25	102.22	102.22	— .2	102.21	102.23	2.23
104.7	100.26	5	Treasury 2¾s, 1954-51	104.6	104.6	104.6	+ .1	104.4	104.6	2.35
107.8	103.26	33	Treasury 3s, 1955-51	107.5	107.5	107.5	.....	107.4	107.6	2.34
104.21	101.24	20	Treasury 2½s, 1960-55	104.15	104.11	104.13	.....	104.12	104.13	2.54
104.13	101.30	1	Treasury 2½s, 1960-55 reg.	104.10	104.10	104.10	.....	.....	.....	.....
102.29	100.6	15	Treasury 2¾s, 1963-58	102.23	102.23	102.18	.....	102.19	102.21	2.57
107.10	103.28	3	Fed. Farm Mtg. 3¼s, 1964-44	107.6	107.5	107.6	+ .6	107.5	107.8	1.79
106.30	103.4	8	Fed. Farm Mtg. 3s, 1949-44	106.30	106.28	106.28	.....	106.28	106.30	1.65
103.13	101.9	20	Home Own. Loan 2¾s, 1949-39	102.12	102.12	102.12	— .1	102.12	102.14	.....
104.15	101.5	1	Home Own. Loan 2¼s, 1944-42	104.12	104.12	104.12	— .1	104.12	104.14	.97
106.27	103.9	1	Home Own. Loan 3s, 1952-44	106.27	106.27	106.27	.....	106.27	106.28	1.66

CORPORATION BONDS

Sales in thousands.	High	Low	Close
A			
14 Alleghany cv 5 '44	78½	78½	78½
19 Alleghany cv 5 '49	67	66¾	67
28 †Alleghany 5 '50 at	35¼	34¾	35
69 Allis Chalm cv 4 '52	109½	108⅝	109½
33 Am & For P 5 2030	51½	51	51
21 A I G Ch cv 5½ '49	102	101¾	101⅞
25 Am T&T 5½ '43	112¼	112	112
10 Am T&T 3¼ '66	104⅝	104⅛	104⅛
48 Anacon Cop 4½ '50	105½	105⅛	105¼
15 †Ang C Nitra deb '67	30⅝	30½	30½
17 Arm Del 4 '55	97½	97⅜	97⅜
25 A T & S F 4 '95	105	104⅞	104⅞
16 A T&S F cv 4½ '48	99⅝	99¼	99⅜
13 A C Line 1st 4 '52	84	84	84
B			
62 B & O rfg 6 '95	19⅛	18¼	19⅛
38 B & O 5 '96 F	17¼	16½	17
153 B & O cv 4½ '60	11⅝	10¾	11⅜
17 B & O 4 '48	49½	48⅞	49⅝
8 Bell T Pa 5 '48 B	118	118	118
58 Beth Steel 3¼ '52	98½	98¼	98½
24 Bost & Me 5 '57	26¼	25½	25¾
18 Buf R&P 4½ '57	25¼	24¾	25¼
C			
9 Can Pac 4½ '60	92¼	92	92
10 Can Pac 4 perp	79¾	79½	79½
6 Cen Ill E&G 5 '51	102¾	102¾	102¾
2 Cen NY Pow 3¾ '62	106¾	106¾	106¾
12 Cen Pac 5 '60	57½	56	57⅛
22 Cen Pac 1st 4 '49	73	72	73
4 Certain-td 5½ '48	80½	80	80
6 C & O 3½ '96 D	95½	95¼	95¼
1 C & O rfg 3½ '96 E	95½	95½	95½
20 C R & Q 3½ Ill '49	98	97¾	97¾
125 †Chi & E Ill 5 '51	20¼	19¾	20¼
104 †Chic Gt West 4 '59	22	21¾	22
203 †C M & St P & P 5 '75	11½	11	11½
260 †CMSP&P sf 5 2000	3¼	3	3⅛
196 †C & N W cv 4½ '49	5	4½	5
40 †C R I&P rfg 4 '34	8	7¾	7¾
6 Ch & W Ind 4 '52	87¼	86¾	87¼
35 C C C & St L 4½ '77	56	54½	56
5 Clev U Ter 4½ '77C	73¾	73¾	73¾
22 Col & So 4½ '80	40¾	40	40
5 Colm G 5 '52 May	94¼	94¼	94¾
6 Colmbia G 5 '61	92½	92	92½
8 Com'l Cred 3¼ '51	104¼	104⅛	104⅛
23 Com'l Cred 2¾ '42	102⅜	102⅜	102⅜
5 Comwith Ed 4 '81	107⅜	107⅜	107⅜
13 Con Edis 3¼ '46	105⅝	105⅛	105¼
44 Con Oil cv 3½ '51	102¼	102⅛	102⅜
8 Consum Pow 3½ '70	107¼	107⅛	107¼
15 Cuba No Ry 5½ '52	33	32¾	33
D			
44 Del & Hud rfg 4 '43	58¾	57¾	57¾
83 †D & R G 4 '36	13⅞	13¼	13½
5 Duquesne Lt 3½ '65	110¼	110⅛	110⅛
E			
17 Elec Auto L cv 4'52	107¼	106⅝	106⅝
162 †Erie rfg 5 '67	13¾	12¼	13¼
136 †Erie rfg 5 '75	13¼	12⅜	13¼
72 †Erie gen lien 4 '96	20¾	20	20⅜
F			
23 †Fla E Cst 5 '74	9¾	9¼	9¼
G			
9 Gen Cable 5½ '47	102¼	102¼	102¼
11 Gen Mot Acc 3 '46	106⅛	105⅞	105⅞
47 Gen Stl Cast 5½ '49	59½	58⅜	59⅛
1 Goodrich 4¼ '56	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
13 Goodyr T&R 5 '57	102¼	102¼	102⅛
28 Gt Nor 4½ '77 E	82¼	81	81½
33 Gt Nor 4 '46 G	97⅝	96	97⅝
37 Gt Nor 4 '46 H	85½	84½	85⅛
H			
1 Hous Oil Tex 5½ '40	101¼	101¼	101¼
10 Hudson Coal 5 '62A	34	33½	33⅝
18 Hud&Man rfs 5 '57	45	44¾	44¾
39 Hud&Man inc 5 '57	12½	12	12
I			
73 Ill Cen 4¾ '66	48½	47½	48⅜
85 IC&CSL&NO 5 '63A	54	51¼	54
14 †Interb R T 7s '32	64¾	64¼	64¼
64 Interb R T rfs 7 '66	63½	62¼	62½
13 Interlake Ir cv 4 '47	88¾	88½	88½
28 †Int Gt No 1st 6 '52	19¾	19¼	19¼
8 Int Hyd El cv 6 '44	75	74¾	75

Dow-Jones Bonds

By the United Press.

New York, Dec. 14.

40 bonds	89.47	+0.40
10 first rails	93.44	+0.40
10 second rails	51.85	+1.10
10 utilities	105.74	+0.09
10 industrials	107.85	.....

Sales in thousands.	High	Low	Close
20 Int T & T 4½ '52	65⅞	64¾	65⅞
95 Int T & T 5 '55	69¾	69	69
K			
10 K C South 5 '50	66½	65½	66½
7 K C Term 4 '60	107¾	107¾	107¾
10 Koppers Co 4 '51	101¼	101⅛	101⅛
5 Kresge Found 4 '45	104½	104½	104½
L			
2 Lac Gas 5½ '53	46¼	46¼	46¼
29 †Lautaro Nit inc '75	28¾	28¼	28¼
3 †Lehigh Val 5 2003	23	23	23
9 †Leh Val 4 2003	21	20¾	20⅞
4 Liggett & M 7 '44	129	128¾	128¾
12 Loews 3½ '46	101	101	101
1 Long Isl rfg 4 '49	81	81	81
4 Louisla & Ark 5 '69	79¼	79¼	79¼
6 Louis&N un 4 '40	99¾	99¾	99¾
10 Louis&N 3¾ 2003	76½	76½	76½
M			
15 †MSP&SSM cn 4 '38	8	7¾	7¾
33 M-K-Tex 5 '62A	34	33⅜	33⅝
149 †Mo Pac cv 5½ '49	4¼	3½	4
29 †Mo Pac 5 '77 F	20⅜	20	20⅜
39 †Mo Pac 5 '81	21⅜	20½	20⅝
138 †Mo Pac gen 4 '75	5¾	5¼	5⅜
22 Mont Pow 3¾ '66	96⅜	96⅛	96⅛
N			
19 Nat Dairy 3¾ '51 ww	104	103¾	104
16 Natl Steel 4 '65	109	108¾	109
20 New Eng T&T 5 '52	124	123¾	124
28 N O Pub Sv 5 '55B	102	101½	102
67 NYC rfs 5 2013	60½	58½	60½
10 NYC cn 4 '98	65¾	64½	65½
32 NYC cv 3¼ '52	64¼	63	64¼
28 NYC&HR 4½ 2013	55½	55½	57½
9 NYC&HR 3½ '97	83⅜	83½	83⅝
40 †NY Ch&StL 4½ '78	49⅜	48½	49¾
43 NY Edis 3¼ '65	107½	107¼	107½
52 †NYNH&H cv 6 '48	14⅜	14	14
53 †NYNH&H 4½ '67	14¼	14	14
3 NY Tel 4½ '39	103⅛	103⅜	103⅜
61 †NYW&Bost 4½ '46	3½	3½	3½
5 NiagaraSh cv 5½ '50	94¼	94	94
1 Nort & W 4 '96	121	121	121
2 Nor Am Co 5 '61	105½	105½	106½
14 Nor Am Ed 5 '69	C 105	104¾	105
60 Nor Pac 6 2047	61⅜	61¼	61⅜
13 Nor Pac 4 '97	83½	82½	82½
19 Nor Pac 3 2047	49¼	48⅞	49
O			
17 Ohio Ed 4 '65	106¼	106	106
20 Or-WashRR&N 4 '61	103⅛	103	103⅛
1 Pac Gas&El 3½ '66	105½	105½	105½
8 Pac G&E 3¾ '61	108¾	108¾	108¾
17 Para Pict 6 '55	99½	99½	99½
1 Penn-Dix 6 '41 A	90	90	.....
27 Pen Pa Lt 4½	104⅝	104⅜	104⅜
31 Pen RR gen 5 '58	105	104½	105
31 Pen RR gen 4½ '65	95½	94¾	95
36 Pen RR 4½ deb '70	83½	82¼	83
13 Pen RR 3¾ '70	84¼	84¼	.....
45 Pen RR 2¼ '52	78½	77¼	78¼
1 Philadelphia Co 5 '67	97¼	96¾	97¼
5 Phil Elec 3½ '67	110¼	110¼	110¼
28 †PhRead C&Ictr 6 '49	4	3½	4
50 †Ph Read C&I 5 '73	13	12¾	12¾
12 †PhillopineRy 4 '37	11	10¾	10¾
80 †Portl Gen E 4½ '60	59¾	58½	58¾
80 †PostalTel&C 5 '53	14	13½	14
R			
5 Readg 4½ '97 A	68	67¾	67¾
12 Rem Rand 4½ '56	102½	102	102½
3 Repub Steel 4½ '61	91¼	91¼	91½
S			
3 Safeway Stra 4 '47	105	105	105
47 †StLIM&S4R&G 33	61	60¼	61
117 †St L S F 4½ '78	12	11⅝	12
20 †St L S F 4 '50 A	12¾	12½	12⅝
111 †Seab A L cn 6 '45	11	10½	10⅝
20 †Sea-A Fl 6 '35 A ctf	11	10½	10⅝
3 Shell Un 3½ '51	103⅞	103⅞	103⅞
17 Soc Vac Oil 3½ '50	106¼	106¼	106¼
118 Sou Pac 4½ '81	51	49¾	50¾
47 So Pac rfg 4 '55	67¾	66½	67¼
9 So Pac 3¾ '46	60	59¾	60
41 South Ry cn 5 '94	81½	80½	81½
74 South Ry gen 4 '56	58½	56½	58½
5 Stand Oil

Complete Transactions Yesterday on New York Stock Exchange

By the Associated Press.

Total stock sales yesterday (shares), 1,965,054; previous day, 1,093,550; week ago, 1,104,880; year ago, 929,610; two years ago, 1,945,000. January 1 to date, 280,479,669; year ago, 393,505,752; two years ago, 475,808,005.

1938 High	Low	Name and Dividend Rate	Sales—(Add 00)	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
		A					
61	36¼	Abbott Lab (1.60a).....	2	59½	59½	59½	+ ½
52	28	Acme Stl (1).....	1	43½	43½	43½	+ ½
12¾	4½	Adams Exp (.20e) XD...	6	10¾	10½	10¾	+ ⅛
30	16⅝	Addressog (1.40).....	1	27	27	27	.....
67⅞	40	Air Reduction (1a).....	28	66	63½	66	+ 3
1⅝	⅝	Air-Way El Appl.....	1	⅞	⅞	⅞	.....
13⅜	8¾	Alaska Juneau (.60a).....	5	9⅞	9½	9½	.....
1⅝	⅞	Alleghany Corp.....		1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	.....
17⅞	5½	Alleghany pf xw.....	2	11⅜	11	11	.....
17⅞	6¼	Alleghany pf $30 ww....	15	13⅛	12¾	12⅞	.....
17⅛	5	Alleghany pf $40 ww....	1	11¼	11⅛	11¼	+ ⅛
21⅛	7⅜	Alleghany pr pf.....	2	15¾	15	15¾	— ⅛
29¾	14⅜	Allegheny-Lud Stl.....	51	27	25⅞	26⅜	+ 1⅜
14⅛	4½	Allen Industries.....	3	10¼	10⅛	10¼	+ ⅛
194	124	Al Chem & Dye (6).....	21	184¾	183	184¾	+ 2¼
14⅞	8⅝	Allied Mills (¾e).....	19	12¾	12¾	12⅞	+ ⅛
13½	4½	Allied Strs.....	22	11⅞	11⅜	11⅞	.....
70⅝	38	Allied St pf (6).....	2	64⅜	63⅜	63⅝	+ 2⅜
48¾	34¼	Allis-Ch Mfg (1½).....	63	48	47	48	+ 1
20	11¼	Alpha P Cem (1).....	9	18¼	17⅛	18¼	+ ⅛
3⅜	1¼	Amal Leather.....	4	2⅜	2⅛	2⅜	.....
98	55	Amerada Corp (2).....	3	69	68¼	68¾	+ ⅛
28½	23	Am Ag Ch Del (.35e)...	2	23¾	23½	23¾	+ ⅛
23¾	10	Am Bank Note (.70e)...	9	17⅜	17¼	17½	+ ⅜
63	46¼	†Am Bank N pf (3).....	10	58¼	58¼	58¼	+ ¼
14⅜	6¾	Am Bosch.....	6	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	+ ⅛
52	23	Am Brake Shoe (1).....	17	48¾	46½	48¾	+ 2¾
135	114	†Am Br Shoe pf (5¼)...	40	130	130	130	.....
105⅛	70¾	Am Can (4).....	12	97	95¼	97	+ 1½
176⅛	110	Am Can pf (7).....	3	174	173½	174	.....
34⅝	12⅜	Am Car & Fdy.....	20	30⅝	29¾	30⅜	+ 1
44	27	Am Car & F pf (2½e)...	1	43¾	47¾	43¾	.....
23⅜	9⅛	Am Ch & Cable (.70e)...	13	21¾	21½	21¾	+ ⅛
128	88½	Am Chicle (4a).....	1	121	121	121	— 1
9⅞	4½	Am Colortype.....	3	8	7⅞	8	+ ⅛
13	9	Am Comi Alco.....	6	11⅛	10⅞	11⅛	+ ⅛
16¾	8¼	Am Crystal Sug.....	9	9¾	9¾	9¾	.....
6⅜	2	Am Encaus Tilng.....	9	4½	4⅛	4⅜	+ ⅛
5	2¼	Am & For Pow.....	17	3	2⅞	3	+ ⅛
20⅞	10	Am & p P $6 pf.....	6	13¾	13	13⅜	.....
28¾	13⅛	Am & F P $7 pf.....	6	16⅜	16⅛	16½	+ ⅜
23¾	5⅛	Am & F P 2 pf.....	1	8	8	8	.....
15	9	Am-Hawaii SS (1).....	5	13	12¾	12¾	— ⅛
5	2	Am Hide & Leather.....	12	5	4¾	5	+ ⅛
44¾	30¾	Am Home Pr (2.40).....	2	44	44	44	.....
4	1¼	Am Ice.....	4	1⅝	1½	1⅝	+ ⅛
20¾	13⅛	Am Ice pf.....	5	15	14½	15	+ ⅛
8¾	4⅛	Am International.....	11	7	6⅞	7	+ ⅛
28¾	12⅜	Am Locomotive.....	36	27⅞	26½	27⅞	+ 1⅛
79	44	Am Locomotive pf.....	9	71	70½	71	+ ½
17⅜	10	Am M & Fdy (.80).....	2	15½	15½	15½	+ ⅛
1⅝	2⅜	Am M & Met.....	2	3	3	3	.....
45	23	Am Metal (1e).....	8	40¾	38¾	40⅜	+ 1⅝
26	20	†Am News Co (1¼e).....	2	26	26	26	.....
7½	3¼	Am Pow & Lt.....	22	5¾	5½	5½	+ ⅛
39¾	14⅜	Am Rad & St S.....	149	39¾	38¼	39¼	+ ⅜
21⅜	16⅛	Am P & L $5 pf (2½k)...	9	34	33	34	+ 2
19⅛	9	Am Rad & St S.....	149	17⅝	17⅛	17⅝	+ ⅛
24¾	13⅛	Am Roll Mill.....	59	21¾	20½	21¾	+ ⅛
80¾	58	Am Roll Mill pf.....	8	70	68½	70	+ 2
20⅝	14⅜	Am Safety Raz (1.60)...	3	15¾	15¾	15¾	.....
23⅛	7⅛	Am Seating (.20e).....	3	20⅜	20	20⅜	+ ⅛
35½	22¾	†Am Ship Bldg (2a)...	3	32¼	30¾	32¼	+ 1⅛
58¾	28⅛	Am Smelt & R (2¼e)...	50	32⅝	30¼	32⅜	+ ⅛
140	103	Am Smelt & R pf (7)...	1	135	135	135	.....
148½	102	Am Snuff pf (6) XD....	1	143	143	143	.....
38	15⅝	Am Stl Fdrs.....	76	36⅛	35	36⅛	.....
11¾	6⅛	Am Stores.....	8	8	7⅞	8	+ ⅛
31	20	Am Stove (.20e).....	3	16⅜	16½	16⅜	+ ⅛
11	7	Am Sugar Ref.....	11	21½	20¾	21	.....
31	20	Am Sugar Ref pf.....	1	21½	21	21	.....
154	111	Am Tel & Tel (9) XD..	32	148½	146¾	148½	+ 1¼
68½	58	Am Tobacco (5).....	14	82¾	81½	82¾	+ ⅛
91½	58¾	Am Tob B (5).....	23	86	85¾	86	+ ⅛
152	136¾	Am Tob pf (6).....	4	149	148½	149	.....
9½	3⅞	Am Type Fdrs.....	6	8	7⅞	8	+ ⅜
18¼	6	Am Wat Wks.....	68	12⅝	12⅛	12⅞	+ ⅛
91	68	Am W W 1 pf.....	1	85¾	85¾	85¾	.....
7¾	3¼	Am Woolen.....	4	5¾	5½	5¾	+ ⅛
45	22¾	Am Wool pf.....	6	36¼	35¾	36¼	+ ¾
9⅜	4¾	Am Zinc L & S.....	2	7¼	6⅞	7¼	+ ⅛
42⅜	21	Anaconda (2½e).....	155	35	33¾	35	+ 1⅛
61⅞	29	Anacon W & C.....		57½	57½	57½	+ 2⅜
21⅞	10¾	Anchor Hock Gl (.45e)...	14	20⅝	19⅞	20	.....
31½	20	Arch-Dan-M (1¼e).....	2	28¼	28¼	28¼	— ⅛
7	3⅞	Arm Br Shoe pf (5¼)...	37	5¾	5¾	5¾	.....
72	28¼	Arm Ill pr pf.....	42	41⅝	41⅞	41⅞	.....
54	24¼	Armstrong Cork (¾e)...	37	54	51¾	54	+ 1½
8⅝	5½	Arnold Const (.40).....	2	10¾	10½	10¾	.....
13	5½	Artloom Corp.....		8½	8	8	— ⅛
77½	72	†Artloom pf (7).....	70	73	73	73	.....
12⅝	4	Assd Dry Goods.....	5	10¼	9¾	10¼	+ ⅛
44⅞	22¼	Atch T & S F.....	103	39	37⅜	38⅝	+ 1⅛
62	40	Atch T & S F pf (3½e)	8	62½	60½	61¾	— ⅛
20¾	14	Atl Coast Line.....	13	27	26	27	.....
8½	4½	Atl G & W Indies.....	1	6¾	6¼	6¼	.....
27⅞	17⅜	Atl Refining (1).....	25	22⅜	22	22⅜	.....
9⅞	5¾	Atlas Corp (½e).....	28	8¼	8	8¼	+ ⅛
68	36	Atlas Pow (2¼e).....	2	67½	67	67	+ 1
8	4½	Atlas Tack.....	1	6	6	6	.....
6½	2½	Auburn Auto.....	4	3½	3½	3½	— ⅛
36⅜	12¼	†Aust Nich Pr.....	20	31¼	31¼	31¼	— 1⅛
7⅞	2½	Aviation Corp (.18½e)...	105	7⅜	7	7⅜	+ ⅛
		B					
15¼	5	Bald Loco ct.....	103	14¾	13⅞	14¾	+ 1
11¼	4	Balt & Ohio.....	47	6¾	6½	6¾	+ ⅛
15⅛	5¼	Balt & Ohio pf.....	18	8¼	7⅞	8	+ ⅛
36	25	Bangor &Ar (2½).....	4	25½	25	25	.....
23¾	12⅛	Barber Asph.....	8	19⅞	19⅜	19⅞	+ 1
21⅝	10⅛	Barnsdall Oil (1).....	62	18⅜	17⅞	18⅛	+ ⅛
21	19	Bayuk Cigar (¾a).....	7	19	18⅞	19	+ ⅛
102	90½	Beat Cream pf ww (5)...	2	99	99	99	+ 1¼
9	5¾	Belding-Hem (¾e).....	7	7¾	7¾	7¾	.....
29⅜	23⅛	Bendix Aviat.....	164	25¾	24¼	24½	+ ⅛
21	15¼	Benef Ind Ln (1.65e)...	13	21	20⅝	21	+ ⅛
66	26⅞	Best & Co (2.32½e).....	2	53½	53	53½	+ ⅛
77⅜	39¾	Beth Steel.....	172	75¼	73	75	+ 2⅛
18⅛	12¾	Beth Steel 5½ pf (7)...	3	17⅞	17¾	17⅞	+ ⅛
114¾	75	Beth Steel 7¼ pf (7)...	10	108½	107⅝	108½	+ ⅛
29¾	17⅛	Bigelow-Sanf.....	5	24¾	24	24¾	+ ⅛
19¾	10⅛	Blaw-Knox.....	23	17⅜	16¾	16⅞	+ ⅛
35½	19	Bliss & Laughlin.....	11	27⅞	27⅛	27⅞	+ ⅛
30½	15⅜	Bohn Al & Brass (½e)...	10	28½	27¾	28½	+ 1¼
82	4	†Bon Ami A (4a).....	10	103¾	103¾	103¾	.....
52	4	†Bon Ami B (2½a).....	50	51¼	51	51	.....
14¾	7	Bond Stra (.60e).....	2	13¼	13¼	13¼	.....
19⅝	15	Borden Co (1.40e).....	33	16⅛	16	16⅛	.....
36⅛	16½	Borg-Warner (¾e).....	40	32½	31½	32	+ 1
27¼	14	Bower Roll Bear (1e)...	4	25¼	24¾	25½	+ 1⅛
12⅝	5¾	Brewing Corp Am (¾e)...	4	6	6	6	.....
14⅝	5¾	Bridgeport Brass.....	4	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	.....
37½	12⅜	Briggs Mfg (1e).....	129	31	29	31	+ 2
40¼	40	Briggs & Strat (3).....	1	36⅜	36⅜	36⅜	+ 1⅜
28	12⅜	Bristol-Myers(2.40) seller	2	42	42	42	.....
2⅜	1⅛	Bklyn & Qu Trans.....	1	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	.....
10	3¼	Bklyn & Qu Trans pf.....	6	9¾	9¾	9¾	+ 1¼
13⅜	5⅜	Bklyn-Man Tr.....	19	12¾	12¼	12½	+ ⅛
40⅜	16¾	Bklyn-M Tr pf.....	13	42	39¾	42	+ 2
23¼	10⅛	Bklyn Un Gas.....	17	17¼	16¾	17	+ ⅛
41	27¾	Brown Shoe (1¾e).....	1	33¼	33¼	33¼	+ ⅛
38⅜	17	Brunswick-Balke (1e)...	2	33¼	33¼	33¼	+ ⅛
12⅞	5⅛	Bucyrus-Erie.....	10	10⅝	10⅜	10⅜	+ ⅛
97	75	†Bucy-Erie 7½ pf (7)..60		97	97	97	.....
6	3¾	Budd Mfg.....	70	6¾	6⅜	6¾	+ ⅛
54⅞	25	†Budd Mfg pf.....	4	48½	45	48½	+ 4⅛
5¾	2	Budd Wheel.....	4	4¾	4¾	4¾	.....
24¾	13¼	Bullard Co.....	2	24	24	24	+ ⅛
39	15½	Bulova Watch (2).....	3	33¾	33½	33⅝	+ ⅛
16⅜	8¾	Burlng Mills (1).....	8	13⅞	13½	13⅞	+ ⅛
22⅜	11	Burr Add Mach (½e)...	21	18¾	17⅝	18	.....
3½	1½	Bush Terminal.....	1	2	2	2	— ⅛
17¼	6¾	†Bush Term Bldg pf ct	20	10½	10	10½	+ 1⅛
10	5⅝	Butler Bros.....	19	7	6⅝	7	.....
24	16⅜	Butler Bros pf (1½)...	11	19	19	19½	.....
5	2¾	Butler Cop & Zinc.....	3	3¼	3	3¼	.....
15⅜	6	Byers (A M) Co.....	14	12¼	11¾	12¼	.....
44¾	20	†Byers (A M) pf.....	10	35¾	35¼	35¾	+ ⅛
22	13	Byron Jackson (1¼e)...	3	17¼	17	17¼	+ ⅛
		C					
24⅛	15⅛	Calif Packing.....	17	16⅜	16	16⅜	+ ⅛
2½	1	Callahan Z-Lead.....	5	1⅝	1½	1⅝	+ ⅛
10⅛	5¼	Calumet & Hec (¼e)...	16	8¼	8	8¼	+ ⅛
20½	8⅜	Campbell Wyant.....	4	16⅜	16	16⅜	+ ⅛
12⅜	6¾	Can Dry G Ale (.40)...	4	19¼	18¾	19¼	+ ⅛
8	5	Canad Pacific.....	58	7⅞	7⅝	7⅞	+ ⅛
42	21	Cannon Mills (1½e).....	4	32¾	32½	32¾	+ ⅛
8¾	4½	Capital Ad A.....	3	7¾	7¾	7¾	+ ⅛
22½	12¾	Carpenter Stl (.40)...	8	18⅜	18⅛	18½	+ ⅛
62	24¼	Carrier Corp (1.35e)...	2	29¾	29¼	29¾	+ ⅛
72½	40	Case (J I) Co (5e).....	2	90	89	90	+ 1½
58	29⅜	Caterpil Tractor (2)...	12	46¼	45½	46¼	+ ⅛
106¾	100⅜	Caterp Tractor pf (5)...	1	106	106	106	.....
26⅞	8	Celanese Corp.....	34	23¾	23	23⅝	+ ⅛
96	82	Celanese pr pf (7) seller	1	94¼	94¼	94¼	+ ⅛
18⅝	12⅜	Celotex Corp.....	18	18¼	17½	18⅛	+ 1⅜
72¼	46	†Celotex Corp pf (5)...	30	70	70	70	+ 2¼
28	18⅞	Cens--Azurite (1½e)...	9	20	19¾	20	+ ⅛
8⅜	2	Cent Foundry.....	10	4¼	4¼	4¼	.....
111¼	99¾	Cent Ill Lt pf (4½)...	30	109	109	109¼	+ ¼
14	6¾	Cent B R N J.....	1	7	7	7	.....
59¼	26¼	Cerro de Pas (4).....	19	49¼	48⅝	49	+ 1¼
12¼	4½	Certain-teed Prod.....	10	11	10⅞	11	+ ⅛
46	17¼	Chain-belt (.60e).....	6	41	40¾	41	.....
33¼	18	Champ Pap & F.....	8	28½	27¾	28½	+ 2¼
106	9	†Champ P&F pf (6) XD..	40	102½	102½	102½	+ 1
38½	22	Ches & Ohio (2e).....	66	34¾	33⅝	34½	+ 1⅛
80	20	Ches & Oh pf (4).....	1	87½	87½	87½	.....
28	27½	Chesa Corp (4.70e).....	1	40¾	40¼	40¾	+ 1⅛
1¼	⅛	Chi & E Ill.....	1	⅜	⅜	⅜	.....
4	1½	Chi & E Ill pf.....	3	2¾	2¾	2¾	.....
1¾	⅜	Chi & N West.....	37	⅝	⅝	⅝	.....
3	2¼	Chi & N West pf.....	9	3¾	3¼	3¼	.....
5⅜	2¼	Chi Grt W.....	4	2⅝	2½	2½	.....
15⅛	8⅛	Chi Mail Or.....	2	12¼	12¼	12¼	+ ⅛
1	¼	Chi M St P & P.....	12	⅜	⅜	⅜	.....
2¼	⅝	Chi M St P & P pf.....	12	1¾	1¾	1¾	.....
19	6¼	Chi Pneu Tool.....	18	16¼	16¼	16⅞	+ ⅛
1¼	⅛	Chi Rk Is & Pac.....	3	⅝	⅝	⅝	.....
2	¾	C R I & Pac 6% pf.....	4	1¼	1¼	1¼	.....
1	⅛	C R I & Pac 7% pf.....	6	¼	¼	¼	.....
19¼	12	Chickasha Cot Oil.....	1	14¼	14¼	14¼	.....
3⅛	1¼	Childs Co.....	4	2⅛	2	2	.....
38⅛	35⅞	Chrysler Corp (2e).....	200	83¾	80⅝	83½	+ 2¼
13⅛	8⅛	City Ice & Fuel (1.40e)...	4	9¼	9⅛	9¼	— ⅛
6½	2	City Stores.....	2	4¼	4⅛	4⅛	.....
23⅝	12½	Clark Equip (.75e).....	3	23	22	23	+ 1¾
30½	15	Clev Cliffs Ir (1e).....	4	27¼	27¼	27¼	.....
60½	32½	Climax Molyb (1.20a)...	44	60	59	59¾	.....
25¾	10½	Cluett Peabody (.85e)...	4	22½	21¾	22½	+ ⅛
75	43	Coca-Cola (4½e).....	9	133¾	133	133¾	+ ⅛
17	7⅛	Colgate-Palm-P (2a)...	38	15	14¾	14⅞	.....
104¼	78	Colgate-Palm-P pf (6)...	103	103	103	103	.....
39¾	13¼	Collins & Aik (1¼e).....	7	34	33¼	34	+ 1
8¾	3½	Col & South.....	1.20	5¼	4¾	4¾	.....
11¾	4½	†Col & South 1 pf.....	10	7	7	7	.....
20	10	†Col & South 2 pf.....	20	9¼	9	9	.....
23⅞	9⅛	Col Fuel & Iron.....	4	20¼	19⅞	20⅛	+ ⅛
22¾	13½	Colum Br cast A (1¼e)...	27	17¾	16¾	17¾	+ ⅛
22¾	13	Colum Br cast B (1¼e)...	7	17¾	16⅜	17⅝	+ 1⅛
8	5⅛	Colum G & El.....	119	6⅞	6⅝	6⅞	+ ⅛
83	57	Col G&E pf A (6).....		71½	71½	71½	.....
19	9	Colum Pict vtc (2½e f).1		14¾	14¾	14¾	— ⅛
35¾	27½	Colum Pict pf (2¾a).....	1	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	.....
98½	53¾	Colum Carbon (4).....	2	95¼	95	95¼	+ ⅛
59¼	23	Comi Credit (4).....	9	59	58⅛	59	+ ⅛
108½	84	Comi Cred pf (4½).....	1	108	108	108	— 1
64	31½	Comi Invest Tr (4).....	43	62	61¼	62	+ 1
112¾	90	Comi Inv Tr cv pf (4¼)..	1	110	110	110	+ ⅛
12¼	5⅞	Comi Solvents.....	46	9¾	9¼	9⅝	+ ⅛
2¾	1	Comwlth & South.....	154	1¾	1½	1⅝	+ ⅛
85¾	25	Com & South pf (3).....	45	46¼	46¼	46¼	+ ⅛
28	22⅛	Comwith Edis (1.60).....	57	27⅞	26⅞	27⅛	+ ⅛
29	15	Congoleum-Nairn (¾e)...	24	27¾	27	27¾	+ ⅛
28¾	10½	Consol Aircr (1e).....	44	25¾	25¼	25¾	+ ⅛
86¾	71	†Con Cig pr pf (6½)...	20	84	83	83	+ ½
34¼	17	Cons Edison (2).....	38	29¾	29	29½	+ ⅛
104	88¾	Cons Edison pf (5).....	6	102	101⅜	102	.....
2⅜	1	Consol Film Ind.....	6	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	— ⅛
12¼	4½	Consol Film Ind pf (1k)	4	10¼	10½	10½	.....
7¾	2½	Cons Laundries.....	1	6¼	6¼	6¾	+ ⅛
10⅜	7	Consol Oil (.80).....	103	8¼	8¼	8¼	.....
7½	2½	Consol R R Cuba pf.....	2	3	3	3	.....
5¾	2¼	Consoln Coal.....	4	3½	3⅜	3⅜	.....
99¾	78	Consum Pow pf (4½).....	2	93½	93¼	93½	+ ⅛
13⅜	9¾	Container Corp.....	12	14¾	14	14¾	+ ⅛
26⅞	8⅜	Cont Bak A.....	17	19¾	19	19¾	+ ⅛
22¾	11¼	Cont Bak B.....	6	17⅜	17¼	17⅜	+ ⅛
103½	25½	Cont Bak pf (8).....	2	95	93	95	+ 1
49	36½	Cont Can (2e).....	45	38¾	38	38¼	.....
116	107	Cont Can pf (4½).....	1	112⅝	112½	112½	.....
11⅞	6	Cont Diam Fib.....	11	9¾	8½	9¼	+ ⅛
36⅛	21¼	Cont Ins (1.60a).....	19	36¼	35¾	36¼	+ ⅛
3	⅞	Cont Motors.....	48	2⅜	2⅛	2⅛	.....
34¾	21¼	Cont Oil Del.....	70	23⅞	23⅜	23⅞	+ 1
29½	10	Cont Steel (1e).....	4	27	26	27	+ 1⅛
56	40	†Corn Exchange (3)...1.10		49	48	49	+ 1⅛

Dow-Jones Averages

By the United Press.

New York, Dec. 14.

Stocks—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net Ch.
30 industrials	149.89	152.08	149.38	151.83	+2.24
20 rails	29.96	30.93	29.84	30.80	+0.77
15 utilities	21.77	22.22	21.70	22.13	+0.53
65 stocks	49.06	49.98	48.91	49.58	+0.96

Transactions in stocks used in averages today:

Industrials	257,500
Railroads	144,000
Utilities	86,200
Total	478,700

Commodities Range

	Yesterday.	Prev. day.	Week ago.	Month ago.	Year ago.
Cotton, New York (Dec.)	8.43	8.31	8.49	8.66	5.13
Wheat, Chicago (Dec.)	64 ⅛	63 ⅞	64 ¼	63 ⅞	95 ⅞
Corn, Chicago (Dec.)	50 ⅝	49 ⅝	49	48 ¼	56 ⅜
Oats, Chicago (Dec.)	28 ⅛	28 ½	28 ⅛	25 ⅝	30 ⅛
Cattle, choice steers, Balto.	9.10	9.50	9.00	9.50	9.00
Hogs, choice, Baltimore	8.05	7.95	8.10	8.50	8.85
Lambs, choice, Baltimore	10.20	10.00	10.25	9.75	10.25
Eggs, special, New York	40.50	42.50	39.00	42.00	36.00
Butter, creamery, New York	28.75	29.25	29.25	27.00	40.25
Flour, New York	4.90	4.90	4.80	4.90	5.95
Coffee, New York	7.75	7.75	8.00	7.75	8.50
Raw sugar, New York	2.85	2.85	2.85	3.05	3.20
Steel, bar, Pittsburgh	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.45
Rubber, New York	16.50	16.05	16.22	16.73	15.00
Pig iron	21.00	21.00	21.00	21.00	24.00
Tin	46.00	46.00	46.50	46 ⅛	43.50
Copper, electrolytic	11.25	11.25	11.25	11.25	10.25
Bar gold, London ($)	34.75	34.76	34.79	34.77	34.94
Bar silver, New York	42.75	42.75	42.75	42.75	44.75
Zinc, East St. Louis	4.50	4.50	4.50	5.05	5.00
Lead, New York	4.75	4.75	4.85	5.10	5.05

1938 High	Low	Name and Dividend Rate	Sales—(Add 00)	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
70¾	53	Corn Products (3).....	9	64¾	63½	64¾	+ ¾
177	162	Corn Products pf (7)...	1	176	176	176	— 1
5¾	2¾	Coty Inc.....		4¾	4¾	4¾	.....
42½	19	Crane Co.....	44	38	37½	37½	+ 1½
117½	85	Crane Co cv pf (5).....	6	107	105	107½	— ½
29½	21⅝	Cream of Wh (2).....	3	25⅞	25¾	25¾	.....
10⅞	5¼	Crosley Corp.....	6	8¼	8	8¼	.....
43¾	22¾	Crown Cork & S.....	39	41¼	39¾	41½	+ 2½
40	29	Crown Ck pf ww (2¼)...	1	37½	37½	37½	.....
15⅛	7½	†Crown Zellerbach (¾e)	14	13½	12½	13¼	+ ¼
92½	58	†Crown Zeller pf (5)...	20	86½	85¾	86½	.....
44¾	19¼	Crucible Steel.....	10	40¼	39¼	40¼	+ 1⅛
94½	70	Crucible Stl pf.....	2	87	85½	87	+ 2
1¼	⅜	Cuba Co.....	3	½	⅜	⅜	.....
6¼	3	Cuban-Am Sugar.....	12	4½	4⅜	4⅜	.....
87	58¼	†Cuban-Am S pf (2k)...	50	73	72	72	— 2½
21⅞	12	Cudahy Pack.....	7	13½	13½	13½	.....
8¼	4¾	Curtis Publishg.....	6	5¾	5½	5¾	.....
56	35	Curtis Pub pf.....	24	45	44	45	.....
7½	3¼	Curtiss-Wright.....	180	7	6¾	7	+ ¼
28½	12⅜	Curtiss-Wr A (1e).....	82

Rites Tomorrow For Mrs. Miller

Funeral services for Mrs. Fanny G. Miller, retired Navy Department employe who died Tuesday at Garfield Hospital, will be held at 2 p. m. tomorrow at Oak Hill Cemetery. The Rev. A. J. Wilder, rector of St. Andrews Episcopal Church, will officiate.

A lifelong resident of Washington, Mrs. Miller served more than 30 years in the Navy Department. She retired two years ago, as head of a division in the bureau of supplies and accounts. She was the daughter of the late Gen. George C. Thomas, commanding officer of the District during the Civil War, and the late Fanny Gray Thomas. She lived at 2007 Kalorama road northwest.

Surviving are three sisters, Miss Katherine E. Thomas, Miss Edith H. Thomas and Mrs. M. T. Johnson, of Washington, and two brothers, Daniel H. Thomas, Washington, and W. Russell Thomas, Reisterstown, Md.

Transfers

ARMY
COLONEL
Francis C. Endicott, Inf., Fort Hayes, Ohio, to Washington, D. C.
MAJORS
John B. Cassaday, Q. M. C., March Field, Calif., to Fort Benning, Ga.
Raymond F. Cook, Inf., State Colleges, Pa., to home (retired).
CAPTAINS
Charles L. Gorman, Q. M. C., Hawaiian Department, to Fort Devens, Mass.
William D. North, M. C., Fort Benning, Ga., to Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind. (revoked).
Hyatt F. Newell, Inf., Fort Thomas, Ky., to Hawaiian Department.
Charles N. S. Ballou, Inf., Hawaiian Department, to Fort George Wright, Wash.
FIRST LIEUTENANTS
Edward J. Burke, Inf., Fort Wayne, Mich., to Hawaiian Department.
Herman H. Kaesser, Jr., Inf., Fort Moultrie, S. C., to Hawaiian Department.
Robert A. Palmer, Inf., Fort Ontario, N. Y., to Hawaiian Department.
Kenneth E. Tiffany, Inf., Fort Thomas, Ky., to Hawaiian Department.
Earl J. Machenry, Inf., Fort Douglas, Utah, to Hawaiian Department.
Nassieb G. Bassitt, Inf., Hawaiian Department, to Fort Benning, Ga.
Oscar R. Bowyer, Inf., Hawaiian Department, to Fort Benning, Ga.
Paul T. Carroll, Inf., Hawaiian Department, to Fort Benning, Ga.
Eugene H. Cloud, Inf., Hawaiian Department, to Fort Benning, Ga.
Alfred K. duMoulin, Inf., Hawaiian Department, to Fort Benning, Ga.
Francis R. Herald, Inf., Hawaiian Department, to Fort Benning, Ga.
Emerson O. Liessman, Inf., Hawaiian Department, to Fort Benning, Ga.
John A. Metcalfe, Inf., Hawaiian Department, to Fort Benning, Ga.
Howard R. Moore, Inf., Hawaiian Department, to Fort Wayne, Mich.
William G. Proctor, Inf., Hawaiian Department, to Fort Benning, Ga.
Hamilton A. Twitchell, Inf., Hawaiian Department, to Fort Benning, Ga.
James B. Wells, Inf., Hawaiian Department, to Fort Benning, Ga.
Lamar P. Woodward, Inf., Hawaiian Department, to Fort Benning, Ga.
SECOND LIEUTENANT
Harry G. Benion, Inf., Randolph Field, Tex., to Fort Francis E. Warren, Wyo.

Navy
CAPTAINS.
Charles C. Hartigan, det. CO., U. S. S. Oklahoma, about January 30; to command U. S. S. Seattle.
Emanuel A. Lofquist, det. chief of staff and aide, commandant, Ninth Naval District, December or January; to command U. S. S. Oklahoma.
LIEUTENANTS (J. G.).
Charles M. Bertholf, det. U. S. S. Detroit April 1; to U. S. S. Pruitt.
James M. Clute, det. U. S. S. Tuscaloosa about May 19; to c/o U. S. S. Sterett and on board when commissioned.
Charles C. Morgan, det. U. S. S. Dewey about May 1; to U. S. S. New York.
Homer H. Nielsen, det. U. S. S. Colorado about May 1; to c/o U. S. S. Anderson and on board when commissioned.
Martin W. May, Jr., det. U. S. S. Pennsylvania about May 1; to c/o U. S. S. Mustin and on board when commissioned.
Baxter L. Russell, det. U. S. S. Dale about May 1; to U. S. S. Wyoming.
Robert O. Shriver, det. U. S. S. Dallas about December 20; to U. S. S. Bushnell; orders of November 26 revoked.
J. C. Gillespie Wilson, det. U. S. S. Astoria about May 21; to c/o U. S. S. Mammann and on board when commissioned.
Philip W. Winston; orders by C. in C., Asiatic modified; to c/o U. S. S. Wichita and on board when commissioned; orders of November 8 revoked.
ENSIGNS.
James H. Cruse, det. U. S. S. Trenton about December 31; to U. S. S. Tattnall.
Falkland M. Lansdowne, det. U. S. S. California about April 29; to instruction, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Mass.
William N. Price, det. U. S. S. Sampson about April 29; to instruction Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Mass.
Hubert B. Reece, det. U. S. S. California about April 29; to instruction Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Mass.
Penfro Turner, jr., det. U. S. S. Warrington about December 20; to Asiatic station.
Construction Corps
LIEUTENANT COMMANDER.
Dale Quarton, det. the Panama Canal, Balboa Heights, Canal Zone, in February; to Norfolk Navy Yard, Portsmouth, Va.
LIEUTENANT.
Robert A. Hinners, det. Navy Yard, New York, N. Y., in January; to the Panama Canal, Balboa Heights, Canal Zone.
Chaplain Corps
LIEUTENANT COMMANDER.
Earl M. Criser, det. U. S. S. Mississippi on December 30; to Eleventh Naval District, San Diego, Calif.

Band Concert

U. S. SOLDIERS' HOME BAND
Stanley Hall—5:30 P. M.
March, "Our Sammies".....Vandersloot
Overture, "Light Cavalry".....von Suppe
Paraphrase, "The Evolution of Dixie." Lake Scenes from the opera "Don Cesar de Bazan".....Masenet
Popular numbers. "A Moonlight Memory".....Van Alstyne
"Mandalay".....Arnheim
Waltz song, "In a Window in a House in Carolina".....Kotzen
Finale, "Old Glory Goes Marching On."
.....Klickman
"The Star-Spangled Banner."

The Weather

Today's Sun and Tide Table

(Furnished by United States Department of Commerce, Coast and Geodetic Survey.)

	A.M.	P.M.
Sun rises	7:19	
Sun sets	4:47	
High tide	2:27	3:04
Low tide	9:11	9:48

Weather Conditions

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Washington, Wednesday, Dec. 14, 7:30 p.m.

Forecast for the District of Columbia—Fair and much colder Thursday; Friday increasing cloudiness and rather cold; moderate northerly winds Thursday.

For Maryland—Fair and much colder Thursday; Friday increasing cloudiness and rather cold.

For Virginia—Fair and colder Thursday; Friday increasing cloudiness and rather cold.

Conditions

A disturbance of considerable intensity is moving eastward over the Province of Quebec, Clarke City, 29.36 inches, with a trough extending southwestward over the North Atlantic States. Pressure is relatively low over the Bahamas and southern Florida, Key West, 29.92 inches. Pressure is low over western Canada, Edmonton, Alberta, 29.84 inches, and low and falling over much of Alaska, Bethel, 28.84 inches. Pressure is high southeast of Newfoundland, S. S. Eglantine, 30.33 inches, while a high-pressure area is moving southeastward over the upper Mississippi Valley, Dubuque, Iowa, 30.40 inches, and pressure continues high over the southern Plains, Abilene, Tex., 30.56 inches. During the last 24 hours there has been some light precipitation over the northern portion of the lake region, the northern Appalachian region, and much of southeastern Canada. Light rains occurred in portions of the Gulf States and California. Temperatures have fallen considerably over the lake region and the southwestern portion of the Province of Quebec.

Local Weather Report

Temperature—Midnight, 32; 2 a. m., 31; 4 a. m., 29; 6 a. m., 27; 8 a. m., 30; 10 a. m., 35; 12 noon, 42; 2 p. m., 49; 4 p. m., 50; 6 p. m., 45; 8 p. m., 45; 10 p. m., 43. Highest, 50. Lowest, 25.

Relative humidity—7:30 a. m., 83; 1:30 p. m., 34; 7:30 p. m., 41. Rainfall (7:30 p. m. to 7:30 p. m., none. Hours of sunshine, 4. Per cent of possible sunshine, 100.

Departures From Normal

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1938, 958 degrees.

Excess of temperature since December 1, 1938, 60 degrees.

Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1, 1938, 6.15 inches.

Excess of precipitation since December 1, 1938, .29 inch.

Temperatures and Precipitation

Temperatures and precipitation in other cities for 24 hours ended Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

	High.	Tues. 7:30	Rain- Wed. night.	p. m. fall.
Washington, D. C.	50	25	43	....
Asheville, N. C.	46	26	38	....
Atlanta, Ga.	54	40	44	....
Atlantic City, N. J.	48	30	44	....
Baltimore, Md.	50	30	44	....
Birmingham, Ala.	44	40	40	0.03
Bismarck, N. Dak.	46	22	38	....
Boston, Mass.	44	28	40	0.04
Buffalo, N. Y.	36	32	20	....
Cheyenne, Wyo.	44	4	38	....
Chicago, Ill.	30	30	34	....
Cleveland, Ohio	36	32	30	....
Dallas, Tex.	56	32	52	....
Davenport, Iowa	32	28	26	....
Denver, Colo.	38	74	34	....
Des Moines, Iowa	32	28	28	....
Detroit, Mich.	34	30	32	....
Duluth, Minn.	10	6	8	....
El Paso, Tex.	58	34	54	0.02
Galveston, Tex.	56	48	54	....
Helena, Mont.	34	20	28	....
Huron, S. Dak.	34	16	28	....
Indianapolis, Ind.	38	28	30	....
Jacksonville, Fla.	70	50	58	....
Kansas City, Mo.	46	24	38	....
Little Rock, Ark.	52	40	46	....
Los Angeles, Calif.	68	60	60	0.11
Marquette, Mich.	12	8	12	0.01
Memphis, Tenn.	50	36	48	....
Miami, Fla.	76	58	66	1.61
Mpls.-St. P., Minn.	14	6	14	0.31
Mobile, Ala.	64	44	42	0.13
New Orleans, La.	53	50	46	0.13
New York, N. Y.	44	28	40	....
North Platte, Nebr.	32	12	24	....
Omaha, Nebr.	40	28	30	....
Philadelphia, Pa.	46	28	40	....
Phoenix, Ariz.	70	44	66	....
Pittsburgh, Pa.	40	26	34	....
Portland, Me.	40	26	36	....
Portland, Oreg.	38	34	36	....
Rapid City, S. Dak.	44	26	32	....
St. Louis, Mo.	42	32	38	....
Salt Lake City, Utah	32	16	28	....
San Antonio, Tex.	62	40	58	....
San Diego, Calif.	72	56	64	0.08
San Francisco, Calif.	56	48	56	....
Santa Fe, N. Mex.	48	22	34	....
Savannah, Ga.	68	48	56	....
Seattle, Wash.	42	30	40	....
Springfield, Ill.	38	30	32	....
Tampa, Fla.	74	54	74	....
Vicksburg, Miss.	48	36	48	0.20

What's Going On And Where

Breakfasts
Credit Women of Washington, Willard Hotel, 8 a. m.

Luncheons
North Washington Lions Club, Kenesaw Cafe, Sixteenth and Irving streets, northwest, 12:14 p. m.
Beta Theta Pi, Burlington Hotel, 12:30 p. m.
Cosmopolitan Club, Carlton Hotel, 12:30 p. m.
Naval Academy Symphony Orchestra, Carlton Hotel, 12:30 p. m.
Kiwanis Club, Mayflower Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

Dinners
Federation of Business Men's Association, Hotel Hamilton, 6:30 p. m.
Buffet supper, Philippine Group, Shoreham Hotel, 11:30 p. m.
Oyster roast, Electric Institute of Washington, Mayflower Hotel, 6:30 p. m.

Meetings
Lido Civic Club, Mayflower Hotel, 8 p. m.
League of Laymen's Retreats, Mayflower Hotel, 8 p. m.
Edmonds Post, Hotel Hamilton, 8 p. m.
El Dorado Club, Hotel Hamilton, 8 p. m.
Amity Club, Hotel Hamilton, 8 p. m.
Ceremonial Tall Cedars of Lebanon, Willard Hotel, 8 p. m.
Thirteen Club, Willard Hotel, 8 p. m.
Lambda Chi Sorority, Willard Hotel, 8 p. m.
Washington Academy of Sciences, Cosmos Club, 8:15 p. m.
Law Review Class, Carlton Hotel, 8:30 p. m.
Tau Phi Sorority, Wardman Park Hotel, 8 p. m.
Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, Shoreham Hotel, 9 a. m.
Free Lance Writers, Shoreham Hotel, 8 p. m.

Citizens Associations
Fort Davis, S. E. Branch Library, Seventh and D streets southeast, 8 p. m.
Highland Park, Walter Reed School, 8 p. m.
Southwest, Jefferson Junior High School, 8 p. m.

Dances
Philippine Group, Shoreham Hotel, 9:30 p. m.
Massachusetts State Society, Wardman Park Hotel, 10 p. m.
Kentucky Society, Willard Hotel, 9 p. m.

Vital Statistics

Births
George and Annie Jones, girl.
Charles and Elsie Greenlee, girl.
John and Ethel Zuberbuhler, boy.
Hugh and Ruth Willis, boy.
James and Hazel Cardoza, girl.
James and Hazel Perley, girl.
Joseph and Sarah Forster, girl.
Garland and Minnie Knott, girl.
Roy and Marion Reeves, girl.
Richard and Merab Flood, girl.
Warren and Jane Tillyer, girl.
Richard and Marion Conley, girl.
Donald and Mildred MacFarlane, boy.
Dennis and Mary Cooper, boy.
Leo and Dorothy Apperson, boy.
Stephen and Mary King, boy.
Marion and Mary Bass, boy.
John and Helen Sullivan, boy.
Richard and Agnes Sansbury, boy.
George and Sadie Shadid, boy.
Jack and Kathryn Schumacher, twin girls.
William and Vera Nece, girl.
Bernard and Anna Bernewitz, boy.
Maurice and Audrey Alsop, boy.
William and Rosemary Ruymann, boy.
Claude and Sarah Hobson, girl.
Burton and Laura Reigelman, girl.
Samuel and Florence Yaffe, girl.
Norman and Vivian Baker, girl.
Reed and Vera Rollo, girl.
Edwin and Helen Priest, girl.
John and Catherine O'Connell, girl.
Woodrow and Mary Browne, boy.
Archie and Gladys Hawk, boy.
James and Mary Malone, boy.
John and Doris Bacas, boy.
John and Vivian Vecchia, boy.
Francis and Marguerite Dugan, boy.
Francis and Edith O'Brien, boy.
William and Genevra Ellis, boy.
John and Dorothy Payette, boy.
Ward and Mary Hough, girl.
Roman and Annie Edwards, girl.
Joseph and Eva Balden, girl.
Charles and Florence McPherson, boy.

Deaths
Alexander Rodgers 86, 1716 N. H. ave.
Katherine Tauberschmidt, 66, 1826 18th st. ne.
Al C. Talker, 64, Garfield Hospital.
Joseph E. Morgan, 64, 617 G st. sw.
Daniel J. McCarthy, 39, 150 R st. ne.
Jessica Acker, 58, 5330 39th st. nw.
Dora Friedman, 37, Sibley Hospital.
Baby Boy Roberts, 14 days, Children's Hospital.
Martha Lewis Hall, 81, 2801 M st. nw.
Gladys Jackson, 27, Gallinger Hospital.
Baby of Louise Washington, Freedmen's Hospital.

Licensed to Marry
Hyman Finkelstein, 35, Baltimore, to Thelma S. Cohen, 25, same city. The Rev. J. T. Loeb.
George Quinton Coffelt, 34, of 1628 Nineteenth street northwest, to Elizabeth Richter, 34, of 220 Sixteenth street northwest. The Rev. Edmond J. Fontaine
George Leonard Moyer, 29, of 7218 Wisconsin avenue, Bethesda, to Edie Thomas Holland, 24, of 416 Ingraham street northwest. The Rev. William E. LaRue.
Frederick Arthur Foot, jr., 21, Naval Receiving Station, to Elizabeth Marrie Wrightsman, 23, Los Angeles. Judge Nathan Cayton.
Paul Wilbur Manns, 28, Richmond, Va., to Emma T. Nunnally, 25, same city. The Rev. Peter Marshall.
Kerr Ives Overby, 28, Cooperstown, N. D., to Ethel E. Schlasinger, 26, Streeter, N. D. The Rev. Abram Simon.
Robert Earl Carbaugh, 29, of 1731 Connecticut avenue, to Sarah Josephine Parks, 27, Dover, Md. The Rev. Luther Neff.
Edwin Baruch, 21, of 6320 Ninth street northwest, to Dorothy Lenore McNancy, 20, of 613 Orleans place northeast. The Rev. A. H. McKinley.
Robert Daugherty, 22, of 417 Eleventh street northeast, to Mildred Alice Williamson, 17, Clifton Terrace Apartments. The Rev. J. Harold Mumper.
Clifford Henry Mack, 25, of 952 Division avenue northeast, to Annie Mae Jackson, 19, of 821 Thirteenth street northeast. The Rev. James A. Davis.
William Curtis McClain, 22, of 1760 U street northwest, to Annie Hazel Morrison, 20, of 1823 T street northwest. The Rev. Robert Anderson.
Robert Giles, 43, of 201 I street southeast, to Sarah Jenifer, 42, same address. The Rev. Robert A. Leslie.
Thomas B. Rone, 21, of 806 First street northwest, to Joalice Jackson, 19, of 447 M street northwest. The Rev. C. T. Murray.

Alexandria
Charles Paul Ward, 21, Elkton, Md., and Evelyn Virginia McKenney, 17, North East, Md.
Thomas Jack Dudley, 30, and Gertrude Estelle May Kenny, 23, Mount Lebanon, Pa.
Francis Parkman Hammatt, 52, of Baton Rouge, La., and Elizabeth Alley Hatch, 30, of Washington.
Robert V. Williams, 22, and Mabel E. Boyles, 24, both of Washington.
Fred Maurice, 28, and Clarie Eldred, 21, both of Washington.
Ramon J. Delgado, 27, and Alice M. Stang, 22, both of New York City.
Michael S. Kirby, 34, and Mildred E. Bowers, 35, both of Baltimore.
Louis L. Garrett, 27, and Kathryn Ragsdale, 22, both of Los Angeles, Calif.
Frank O. Bilson, jr., 36, and Sadie E. Elkins, 41, both of Baltimore.
Anthony William Pellegrino, 23, and Viola Rose Falco, 22, both of Philadelphia.
Harry F. Rosseman, 39, and Mary E. Morgan, 32, both of Baltimore.
Charles H. Mannear, 24, and Idabelle Janet Kinnear, 22, both of Kingston, Pa.
Edwin S. Worden, 29, and Beeulah C. Hawkins, 30, both of Washington.
Jay W. K. Bonestell, 45, and Jane L. Parrish, 31, both of Philadelphia.
James D. Irwin, 22, of Washington, and Yvonne Winifred Morton, 21, of Strasburg, Pa.
Aurelis Zambrano, 30, and Gloria Anaya, both of New York City.
Harry S. Jackson, jr., 22, of Alexandria, and Marian P. Brown, 21, of Washington.
Samuel J. McCandless, 40, and Mary Park, 39, both of Philadelphia.

Marriage licenses issued in Arlington County:
Robert Douglas Anderson, 21, of Alexandria, Va., and Dorothy May Dodd, 17, of 504 D street southeast, Washington.
Floyd Pleasant Pope, 27, of 2744 South Jennings street, Fort Worth, Tex., and Lillian Marie Moore, 25, of 3333 McKinley street northwest, Washington.
Raymond Victor Harrison Gilbert, 50, of 2115 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, Washington, and Ouida Bruce Fulkerree, 43, of 1111 South Twentith street, Arlington, Va.

Marriage licenses issued in Fairfax, Va., yesterday, included Frank E. Elderidge, 41, 5800 Nevada avenue northwest, to Mary Brown Murphy, 39, 3921 Harrison street northwest, Washington.

Ship Movements

At New York
Arrived Yesterday
Argentina, from Trinidad.
Volendam, from Rotterdam.
Arrive Today
American Merchant, from London.
Ascania, from Havre.
Nieuw Amsterdam, from Rotterdam.
Paris, from Havre.
Queen Mary, from Southampton.
Arrive Tomorrow
American Traveler, from Liverpool.
Hansa, from Hamburg.
Kungsholm, from Gothenburg.
Sailing Today
Black Heron, for Antwerp.
Exhibitor, for Casablanca.
Sailing Tomorrow
Ascania, for Plymouth.
Korsholm, for Gothenburg.
Mormacsea, for Gothenburg.
Queen Mary, for Plymouth.

THE LOTTERY CONTROVERSY

Do newspaper editorials on government-operated lotteries reflect the opinions of their readers? If you had read the Gallup Poll in The Post last May you would know how the voters feel toward this method of raising money for Government expenses. *You cannot keep informed on shifting trends of American opinion if you do not read the Gallup Polls. You cannot read the Gallup Polls in Washington unless you are a daily and Sunday subscriber to the Washington Post.*

THIS CHRISTMAS, BE

Your Own Santa Claus

Treat *yourself* this Christmas to a good used car. November was such a good month for new car sales that dealers have been forced to price their late model cars for immediate turnover. Look at the used car bargains listed in the classified section of today's Post.

Charles H. Loweth Funeral Tomorrow

Funeral services for Charles H. Loweth, 59, who died Tuesday, will be held at 10 a. m. tomorrow in the S. H. Hines chapel, 2901 Fourteenth street northwest. Dr. Frederick Brown Harris, pastor of Foundry Methodist Church, will officiate.

A native of Oberlin, Ohio, Mr. Loweth had been in the taxi business in Washington for the past eight years. He had earlier been in the real estate business in West Palm Beach, Fla. He was a member of the South Park Lodge of Masons, in Chicago, and lived here at 2456 Twentieth street northwest.

He leaves a son, Donald C. Loweth, Washington, and three sisters, Miss Jessie A. Loweth and Mrs. N. J. Frederickson, Washington, and Mrs. F. J. Winslow, Chicago.

Mrs. V. F. Boyle, 75, Southern Poet, Dies

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 14 (AP).—Mrs. Virginia Frazer Boyle, 75, poet laureate of the United Confederate Veterans and well-known Southern author, is dead.

The wife of Thomas R. Boyle, Memphis attorney, she had been ill two weeks.

DIED.

BOYD, JOSEPH B. D. On Tuesday, December 13, 1938, at his residence, 652 K st. ne., JOSEPH B. D. BOYD, beloved husband of Emma Sanford Boyd and brother of Mrs. Margaret Boyd Raum, of this city, and Mr. William J. Boyd, of Temple, N. H. Services at Hysong's funeral home, 1300 N st. nw., on Thursday, December 15, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

EDWARDS, SARAH R. Entered into rest on Wednesday, December 14, 1938, at 3 p. m., SARAH R. EDWARDS, mother of John, Charles, Thomas and Joseph Edwards and Mrs. Carrie Long, Mrs. M. B. Barham and Sarah E. Brown. She is also survived by a sister, Mrs. Lizzie Scott. Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Carrie Long, 117 E st. ne., on Saturday, at 12 o'clock noon. Relatives and friends invited.

EICHELBERGER, MAUD. Suddenly, on Tuesday, December 13, 1938, at her residence, 1029 10th st. ne., MAUD EICHELBERGER, beloved sister of Mrs. Emma Allen, Mrs. J. W. Jones and Mrs. W. C. James. She is also survived by a niece, Mrs. Ethyl F. Wrigglesworth, and a granddaughter, Miss Helen Mattison. Funeral services at the residence on Thursday, December 15, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

FITZGERALD, ANNA ELIZABETH. On Tuesda, December 13, 1938, at her home, 4005 Harrison st., Silver Spring, Md., ANNA ELIZABETH FITZGERALD, beloved daughter of Garrett L. Fitzgerald. Services at the Warner E. Pumphrey funeral home, 8424 Georgia avenue, Silver Spring, Md., on Friday, December 15, at 9 a. m.; thence to St. John's Catholic Church, Forest Glen, Md., where mass will be said at 9:30 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Interment St. John's Cemetery.

FRIEND, GEORGE WASHINGTON. On Tuesday, December 13, 1938, at Emergency Hospital, Annapolis, Md., GEORGE WASHINGTON FRIEND, beloved husband of Clara M. Friend and father of L. S. Friend, Marjorie, Alfaretta, Bernice and Lindsay Friend. Remains resting at the W. W. Chambers Co. suburban funeral home, 918 Cleveland ave., Riverdale, Md., until Thursday, December 15, at 10 a. m., thence to Christ Episcopal Church, near Owensville, Md., where body will lay in state from 11 a. m. to 1 p. m., at which time services will be held. Interment adjoining cemetery.

GARDNER, ILAN D. On Tuesday, December 13, 1938, at her residence, 2905 North 24th st., Arlington, ILEAN D. GARDNER, beloved wife of Henry E. Gardner and daughter of Mr. Raleigh T. and Mrs. Cassie J. Jackson, and sister of Mrs. Hebe Strawbridge, Mrs. W. H. Roach, Mrs. D. L. Johnson, Mrs. W. C. Mills, Mrs. W. B. Solomon, Erie Jackson, Hilda Jackson, Vera Jackson, Hawley Jackson, Paul Jackson, Carter Jackson, Wallace Jackson, Russell Jackson, P. K. Jackson, W. T. Jackson and R. A. Jackson. Funeral services will be held in the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Eighth st. nw., on Thursday, December 15, at 8 p. m. Interment Washington National Cemetery on Friday, December 16, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited.

HILL, DR. JOSEPH ADNA. On Monday, December 12, 1938, at his residence, 1826 Irving st. nw., DR. JOSEPH ADNA HILL. Funeral services at St. John's Church, 16th and H sts. nw., on Thursday, December 15, at 3 p. m. Interment private.

HILL, WILLIAM HENRY SASSCER. Entered into life eternal on Tuesday, December 13, 1938, at his home, Pleasant Hills, Upper Marlboro, Md., WILLIAM HENRY SASSCER HILL, beloved husband of Ellen Harper Hill, father of William Henry Sasscer Hill, jr., and Alice Elizabeth Hill, and brother of Misses May, Margaret, Alice and Fredericka Hill. Funeral services at Trinity Church, Upper Marlboro, on Thursday, December 15, at 3 p. m.

JOHNSON, MARTHA JANE. On Tuesday, December 13, 1938, at her residence, 1017 N. Capitol st., MARTHA JANE JOHNSON, mother of Carrie M. Dykes and Alice Johnson. Funeral services at her late residence on Friday, December 16, at 2 p. m. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

KOONTZ, CLARENCE H. On Tuesday, December 13, 1938, at Mount Alto Hospital, CLARENCE H. KOONTZ, the beloved husband of Nellie P. Koontz. Funeral services at the W. W. Chambers Co. Southeast funeral home, 817 11th st. se., on Friday, December 16, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

LOWETH, CHARLES H. On Tuesday, December 13, 1938, at his residence, 2456 20th st. nw., CHARLES H. LOWETH, husband of the late Celia G. Loweth and father of Donald C. Loweth. He is also survived by three sisters, Mrs. N. J. Frederickson, Miss Jessie Loweth, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. F. J. Winslow, of Chicago, Ill. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Tuesday, December 16, at 10 a. m. Interment private.

LYNCH, MARGARET. On Wednesday, December 14, 1938, at her residence, 49 Gallatin st. nw., MARGARET LYNCH (nee Carmody), beloved wife of the late John Lynch and sister of Cornelius and Patrick Carmody. Notice of funeral later.

MARK, LEROY. On Tuesday, December 12, 1938, at his residence, 3520 37th st. nw., LEROY MARK, husband of Helen Shaffer Mark. Funeral services at the above address on Friday, December 16, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

DIED.

McCARTHY, DANIEL M. J. On Tuesday, December 13, 1938, at his residence, 150 R st. ne., DANIEL M. J. McCARTHY, beloved husband of Catherine M. McCarthy (nee Jackel) and father of Charles Daniel, Richard and Margaret McCarthy and Mrs. Catherine Perri. Remains resting at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., until Wednesday, December 14, at 11 p. m. Funeral services and interment Philadelphia, Pa., on Saturday, December 17.

MILLER, Mrs. FANNY G. At Garfield Hospital after an illness of several weeks, passed away December 13, 1938, Mrs. FANNY G. MILLER, daughter of Gen. George C. and Fanny Gray Thomas. Remains resting at Birch's funeral home, 3034 M st. nw. Interment Oak Hill Cemetery Friday, December 16, at 2 o'clock.

MORNINGSTAR, Lieut. Col. JAMES G. On Wednesday, December 14, 1938, at Walter Reed Hospital, Lieut Col. JAMES G. MORNINGSTAR, beloved husband of Ruby R. Morningstar, of 615 East Leland st., Chevy Chase, Md. Remains at the funeral home of William Reubin Pumphrey, 7005 Wisconsin ave., Bethesda, Md. Funeral services at the above funeral home Saturday, December 17, at 10 a. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

MORRISON, ANNIE. On Wednesday, December 14, 1938, at the Southern Relief Home, 2727 Adams Mill rd. nw., Miss ANNIE MORRISON, aged 80 years, daughter of the late William and Susan Morrison. Funeral services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Friday, December 16, at 11:30 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

MUNNIKHUYSEN, MARGARET L. On Wednesday, December 14, 1938, at Shadyside, Md., MARGARET L. MUNNIKHUYSEN (nee Brawner), wife of Carvel H. Munnikhuysen and mother of Dorothy Wheeler, Margaret A. Munnikhuysen, Jeanne Nieman, Frank, Martha and Jon Munnikhuysen. Remains resting at Timothy Hanlon's funeral parlors, 641 H st. ne. Notice of funeral later.

NORTON, JOHN A. Suddenly, on Tuesday, December 13, 1938, JOHN A. NORTON, beloved father of Ralph E. Norton. Funeral from his late residence, 1152 C st. ne., on Thursday, December 15, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Prospect Hill Cemetery.

REED, IDABELLE. On Thursday, December 14, 1938, at her residence, 1762 N st. nw., IDABELLE REED, widow of Joseph O. Reed, M. D., and mother of Fred C. Reed. Friends are invited to call at Gawler's, 1736 Pa. ave. nw. Notice of service later.

ROBB, JOHN H. On Wednesday, December 14, 1938, at Georgetown University Hospital, JOHN H. ROBB, aged 86 years, beloved husband of Amelia E. Robb and father of Edwin J. Robb, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Harper Robb, of Scranton, Pa. Funeral from the W. W. Deal funeral home, 4812 Georgia ave. nw., on Friday, December 16, at 9:30 a. m., thence to St. Gabriel's Church, where mass will be said at 10 a. m. for the repose of his soul. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

ROBB, JOHN H. The members of Washington Council, No. 224, Knights of Columbus, are advised of the death on Wednesday, December 14, 1938, of Brother JOHN H. ROBB, of 4902 Georgia ave. nw., an honorary life member of the council, and are requested to attend the funeral services at Saint Gabriel Church on Friday, December 16, at 10 a. m. The members will meet at Deal's funeral home, 4812 Georgia ave. nw., Thursday, December 15, at 8 p. m., for recitation of prayers for the deceased. (Signed) JOHN G. BOWEN, G. K.; DR. A. D. WILKINSON, F. S.

SULLIVAN, WILLIAM D. On Wednesday, December 14, 1938, at Emergency Hospital, WILLIAM DANIEL SULLIVAN, beloved husband of Bessie Davis Sullivan and brother of Mrs. W. F. Gibbs, Mrs. John W. Heavey, Mrs. John J. Dolan and Mrs. Michael J. Colbert. Remains resting at his late residence, 3015 P st. nw., until Saturday, December 17, at 9:30 a. m.; thence to Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Georgetown, where mass will be offered for the repose of his soul at 10 a. m. Interment Oak Hill Cemetery.

TAUBERSCHMIDT, KATHERINE O. On Tuesday, December 13, 1938, at her residence, 1826 18th st. se., KATHERINE O. TAUBERSCHMIDT, beloved wife of the late Frederick Tauberschmidt and mother of Ernest G. and Bernard F. Tauberschmidt and Mrs. Emily T. Fisher, of Arlington, Va. Funeral services at the above residence on Thursday, December 15, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Prospect Hill Cemetery. Services by the W. W. Chambers Co. Southeast funeral home.

VAN REUTH, LOUIS D. On Wednesday, December 14, 1938, at his residence, 4507 5th st. nw., LOUIS D. VAN REUTH, beloved husband of Bertha R. Van Reuth and brother of LeRoy Van Reuth and Mrs. William J. Williams, of Brooklyn, N. Y. Notice of funeral later.

WELLS, ANNETTE BOSWELL. On Wednesday, December 14, 1938, at her residence, 1737 Kilbourne pl. nw., ANNETTE BOSWELL WELLS, beloved wife of Delbert M. Wells and mother of Mrs. Agatha Hohenstein and Leslie and Delbert M. Wells. Funeral services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Friday, December 16, at 1 p. m.

—Deaths—

Deceased	Undertaker
Tauberschmidt, Katherine	W. W. Chambers Co.
McCarthy, Daniel	W. W. Chambers Co.
Gardner, Ilean D.	W. W. Chambers Co.
Friend, George W.	W. W. Chambers Co.
Koontz, Clarence H.	W. W. Chambers Co.

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Novelty Store, 1601 11th St. N.W.
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Standard Drug, 1748 7th St. N.W.
Suter's Drug Store, 1841 Columbia Road.
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Motor Travel 10

DRIVING Los Angeles Dec. 26. Dodge '38 sedan; take 3. Call today. DI. 6155.

DRIVING FLA. Pontiac Sedan. Dec. 20; return Jan. 1. Desire 2 pass. DU. 0043.

WASH. AUTO TRAVEL SERVICE—1130 14th st. nw. Private cars Fla., Tex., Calif., all points. Share exp. NA. 3705.

Help—Female 11

Women—If you don't find your position in the Help Wanted Column today—place a "Situations Wanted" Ad in The Post. A 3-line ad costs only 19 cents

APT. HOUSE manager for 2 small adjoining buildings; no salary, but 4-rooms, bath and porch apt. rent free. State age and experience. Box 101. The Washington Post.

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Help—Male 12

Men—If you don't find your position in the Help Wanted Column today—place a "Situations Wanted" Ad in The Post. A 3-line ad costs only 19 cents

AGENTS, OPERATORS, CANVASSERS—We have over 2,000 fast selling articles; notions, razor blades, cosmetics. Christmas Novelties. Lowest prices. Naiman Sales Co., 1011 7th st. nw.

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BARBER, 1st class, American, sober. Apply Modern Barber Shop, 18th & Col. rd.

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Hyattsville, Md. (on Baltimore Blvd.)

Help—Male-Female 13

EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO MANAGER Scandinavian birth or background preferred. Apply The Smorgasbord, 1632 K st. nw.

Employment Agencies 14

RUPHER'S Employment Agency can furnish colored domestic help; ref. DE. 3551.

Situations—Female 16

DICTAPHONE op., steno., clerk, desires position. 10 years' experience. DU. 1710.

INDIVIDUAL care for colored child, 3 yrs.; good home. 310 T st. nw.

INTELLIGENT, efficient woman desires situation in refined atmosphere as companion, nurse or housekeeper; take full charge; trained and experienced hotel work, secretarial; unencumbered. Box M-291, Washington Post.

MISTRESS wishes to place maid half time; thoroughly reliable, can order meals and take general responsibility; good laundress. RE. 1901, Apt. 605.

COLORED GIRL part-time cleaning, no cooking or laundry. DE. 4922-W.

COLORED GIRL wants job—care for children. Sleep in. Write Elizabeth Johnson, Mitchellsville, Md.

COLORED girl wants part-time work or all-day work. Call Dist. 2405.

Situations—Male 17

Author with newspaper background needs to broaden his earning capacity. Bonafide offers welcomed. Beane, CO. 8597.

ACCOUNTANT, small sets of books kept in evenings. Financial statements. Tax returns. Charge reas. SHepherd 1884.

MAN (colored) wishes place as butler, houseman or porter. DU. 8778.

YOUNG white man desires work of any kind; D. C. permit. "Red." MI. 9395.

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Situations—Male 17

WE HAVE SEVERAL young men, 18 to 25, now attending school 2 nights each week, seeking employment to help defray living expenses. Any employment will be appreciated. Phone or write Mr. Price, 1232 14th st. nw. MEt. 2882.

Instructions 19

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Money-to-Loan 26

ON diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, etc., no add'l arrangements neces.; lowest int. rates. Rosslyn Loan Co., Rosslyn, Va.

CHATTEL and second trust notes purchased. 1-day service. 907 Tower Bldg.

Real Estate Loans 27

MONEY AVAILABLE at prevailing rates for first mortgage loans. Louis P. Shoemaker, 1719 K st. nw. NA. 1166.

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BUCHANAN ST. NW., 1620—Front room, twin beds, private shower; c. h. w.; use phone; 15 minutes downtown; $35.

CALIFORNIA ST. N.W., 1863—Lovely front rm., 1st fl., twin beds; single, next bath.

CHEVY CHASE, D. C., near Circle—Well-furnished room, adj. bath, shower; free auto transportation; $20. WO. 3509.

CHEVY CHASE, D. C., 3611 Jocelyn st. nw. At active front rm., south exposure; Beautyrest mattress, springs. EM. 9447.

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CLEAN single rm., nr. bath; priv. home; $3.50 wk. 1310 Spring rd. nw. CO. 4888-R.

CLEAN 1-room apt.; priv. entrance; $5 wk. 2544 14th st. nw. See janitor.

COLUMBIA RD., 1834—$3 wk., clean, outside rms.; 4 baths; men. AD. 10213.

DOWNTOWN—Single room for gentleman; $25; unlimited phone. 1223 Vermont ave. nw.

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EUCLID ST. NW., 1359—Well-furn. twin bedrm., southern exposure; $3.50 ea.

EXCLUSIVE section, 4307 12th st. ne.—New home, near Catholic U.; front rm., adj. bath, shower; $7 wk. optional. DU. 0473.

FRONT double room, adj. porch, cedar closet; also single. AD. 5815.

GIRARD ST. NW., 1450, Apt. 22—Well-furn. room, next bath, shower; large closet; gentleman; conv. transp.; $5. CO. 0496.

GORDON HOTEL (916 16th st.)—On beautiful 16th st.; location desirable and convenient; comfortable rooms, single, $6.50-$8.50; double rooms with running water, $9.50-$11.50 weekly; double rooms with bath, twin beds, $12-$14 weekly; 24-hour elevator and switchboard service.

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FORD—1935 Tudor. Good paint and tires; it runs perfectly. You won't find a nicer one and compare our price. $175.
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FORD—1938 Tudor Sedan. Only a few thousand miles separates this car from new; beautiful finish; immaculate interior; a real saving for the smart buyer at only $519. Uncle Joe will give new-car guarantee.
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1938 "85" Tudor Touring Sedan. Custom radio; dark blue finish; immaculate inside and out. Practically new in every detail and condition. Proves careful handling. Only $545.
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FORD—1935 Tudor, $225. Coast-In, Inc., 4th and Fla. ave. ne.

FORD $435
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FORD—1936 4-door Trunk Sedan, a very clean car with low mileage; good tires; exceptionally nice motor; $345. WINDRIDGE & HANDY, INC., Buick dealers. Used car lot, 1212 Wilson Blvd. (across Key Bridge), Rosslyn, Va. CH. 5803.

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FORD—1934 Victoria. Black; all good tires; built-in luggage compartment. Bargain for $185. WARFIELD MOTOR CO., Ford Lincoln-Zephyr Dealers (Branch), 1707 14th st. nw. AD. 8000.

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1711 Florida Ave. N.W. NOrth 8565.

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HUDSON $195
1934 Coupe. This beautiful bargain should interest every Hudson owner or anyone else seeking a saving. Built-in radio (Zenith); glossy dark blue finish. A real car at a price that means action.
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1938 "85" 6-Wheel De Luxe Touring Sedan. Here's an opportunity for a thrifty buyer to save. This car will satisfy any buyer. Its gleaming finish is glacier blue. It has special blue leather plaited upholstery, built-in radio, large Hudson heater and defroster unit, built-in bar compartment. Has been driven carefully by one owner and priced low. Original cost was $1,400, and will be sacrificed for $775. Trade and terms.
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1933 4-Dr. Sedan. Enjoy this luxurious car now at a price equal to lesser models; U. S. Royal tires; 7-pass. model; black finish proves careful handling; trumpet horns. Better hurry for this value.
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OLDSMOBILE—1937 6-cylinder, 4-door trunk sedan, black finish, good tires, radio and heater. WINDRIDGE & HANDY, INC., Buick dealers. Used car lot, 1212 Wilson Blvd. (across Key Bridge), Rosslyn, Va. CHestnut 5803.

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1937 8-Cyl. 2-Door Touring Sedan. Here's an opportunity for a thrifty buyer to save. This car will satisfy any buyer. Its gleaming finish is black, de luxe upholstery doesn't show any wear. Has been driven carefully and priced low for a perfect car. Trade and terms.
STANLEY H. HORNER, INC.
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OLDSMOBILE—1937 "8" 4-Door Trunk Sedan. The black finish hasn't a scratch; white sidewall tires, like new; heater; defroster; spotless inside; performs like a new car. You won't find a nicer one in town. $645.
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1938 2-Door Trunk Sedan; driven only a few thousand miles and practically new in every detail; automatic transmission; radio; beautiful finish and a marvelous motor. A real saving for the economical buyer.
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OLDSMOBILE—1935 4-Door Trunk Sedan. Radio. Attractive tan finish; upholstery clean and shows no wear; fine tires; perfect motor. A real bargain at this price. $295.
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1937 6-Cyl. Sport Coupe. Its previous owner, who was a retired executive, took unbelievable care of this gorgeous car. Beautiful green finish, radio and heater equipped, very low mileage. This car is the equivalent to a new car in every way but price and that is low. See it today.
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CHERNER MOTOR CO.
1711 Florida

SMOKEY STOVER — Christmas Jeer

YOU LOOK WORRIED, SMOKEY - WHAT'S ON YOUR MIND?
I CAN'T FIGURE OUT WHAT TO GIVE THE CHIEF FOR CHRISTMAS!
THAT SHOULDN'T BE HARD - WHY NOT GIVE HIM SOMETHING FOR HIS CAR!
A GIFT FOR HIS CAR IS A HAPPY THOUGHT!
THAT'S WHAT I GAVE HIM!
YOU DID?- WHAT IS IT?
AS YE SOW, SO SHALL YE FOO
A TICKET FOR PARKING NEXT TO THAT PLUG!
12-15
Foo Foo Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.
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WINNIE WINKLE — Here It Comes — BY BRANNER

WHY, YOU DIRTY SWINE - MAKING A PLAY FOR WINNIE, ARE YOU?!
B-BUT-I-I-DON'T UNDERSTAND!
WELL, MAYBE THIS WILL CLEAR THINGS UP FOR YOU!
BILL! BILL! DON'T!
WHATEVER YOUR REASON IS-PLEASE WAIT! YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE DOING! PLEASE, BILL, FOR MY SAKE -
I-I LOST MY HEAD, I GUESS! I HEARD SOME GOSSIP AND SAW RED! I'M-SORRY-
BUT THERE IS SOMETHING I WANT YOU TO KNOW - ABOUT WINNIE AND ME!
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MR. AND MRS. — While Dining Out — BY ARTHUR FOLWELL AND ELLISON HOOVER

WHERE ARE YOUR EYES? CAN'T YOU PAY ANY ATTENTION TO ME?
HUH? WHAT?
I'VE BEEN WATCHING YOU. YOU HAVEN'T ONCE TAKEN YOUR EYES OFF THAT GIRL AT THE NEXT TABLE
'S NONSENSE
IT IS NOT NONSENSE. YOU THINK I DON'T NOTICE YOU
OH, SPLASH! CAN'T I LOOK AROUND THE ROOM?
SAY, I CAN'T SEE WITH THESE GLASSES ANY FURTHER THAN THIS MENU CARD! I LEFT MY DISTANCE GLASSES HOME
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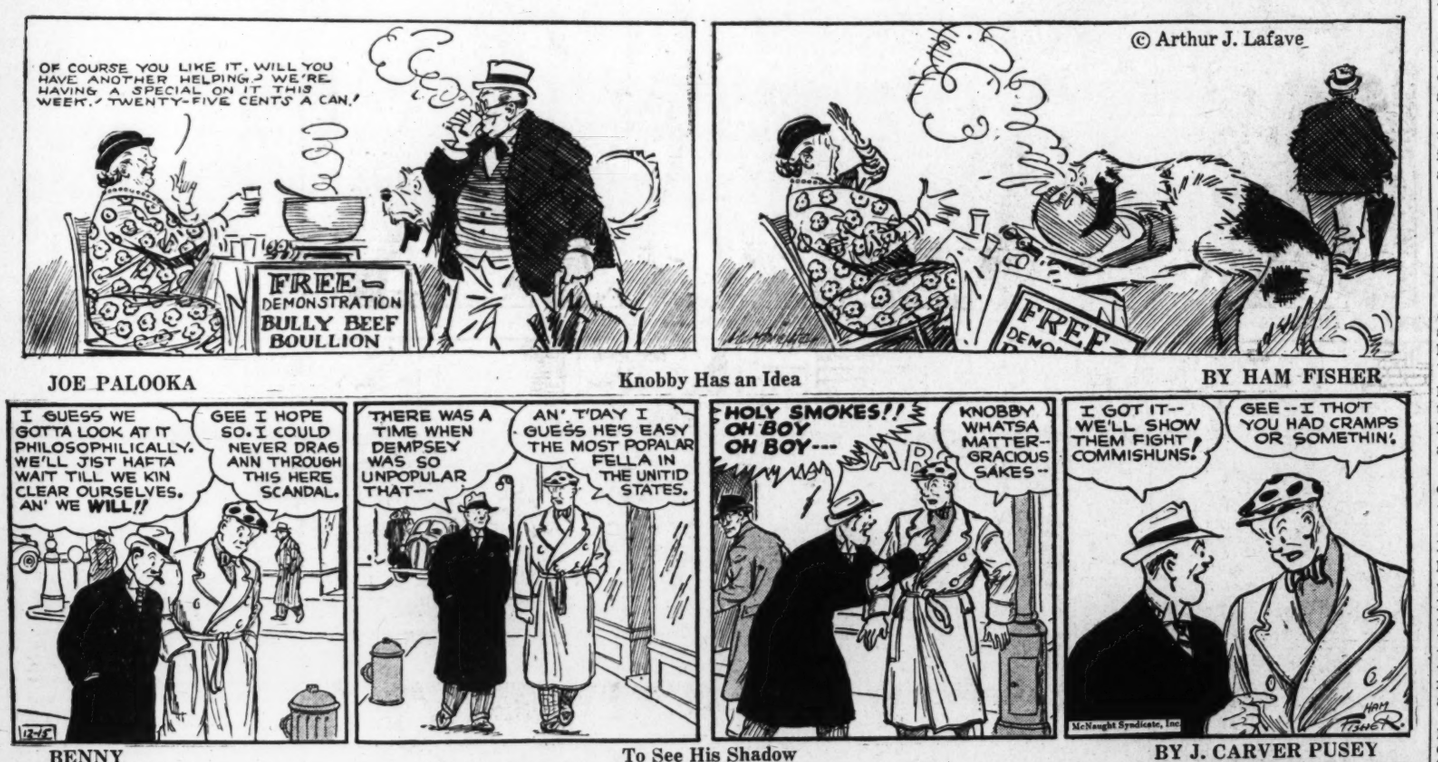
NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY — BY CLIFFORD McBRIDE

JOE PALOOKA — Knobby Has an Idea — BY HAM FISHER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I GUESS WE GOTTA LOOK AT IT PHILOSOPHILICALLY. WE'LL JIST HAFTA WAIT TILL WE KIN CLEAR OURSELVES. AN' WE WILL!!
GEE I HOPE SO. I COULD NEVER DRAG ANN THROUGH THIS HERE SCANDAL.
THERE WAS A TIME WHEN DEMPSEY WAS SO UNPOPULAR THAT---
AN' T'DAY I GUESS HE'S EASY THE MOST POPALAR FELLA IN THE UNITID STATES.
HOLY SMOKES!! OH BOY OH BOY---
KNOBBY WHATSA MATTER-- GRACIOUS SAKES--
I GOT IT-- WE'LL SHOW THEM FIGHT COMMISHUNS!
GEE--I THOT YOU HAD CRAMPS OR SOMETHIN'.
McNaught Syndicate, Inc.

BENNY — To See His Shadow — BY J. CARVER PUSEY

PSSS-T DON'T LOOK NOW - BUT DARBY HICKS IS FOLLOWING YOU!
SWISH
AUTO SUPPLIES
REAR VISION MIRRORS
12-15
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PRIVATE LIVES — By Edwin Cox

STAR FIRST BASEMAN OF THE PENNANT-WINNING CUBS
RIP COLLINS
HAS ENTIRELY FENCED HIS HOME WITH BATS
HE HAS BUSTED IN HIS MAJOR LEAGUE CAREER.
JACK BLISS
BLANCHE BATES, FORMER BELASCO STAR ("THE GIRL OF THE GOLDEN WEST," "THE FAMOUS MRS. FAIR") HAS EQUIPPED HER DINING TABLE WITH ROCKING CHAIRS BECAUSE IT INSPIRES GOOD CONVERSATION.
GOERING
BUILDER OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST MACHINE FOR HUMAN DESTRUCTION (THE NAZI AIR FORCE) IS AN IDOLATROUS SENTIMENTALIST AT HOME. HE KEEPS A SOLID GOLD STATUE OF HIS FIRST WIFE DECORATED WITH ALL HER JEWELS, AND GUARDED BY AN ARMED TROOPER.

Contract Bridge

By Florence Osborn.

"Some rise by sin and some by virtue fall," quotes A. E. Manning Foster in placating a contributor who decries his bad luck. Foster continues, "The agile speculator and the opportunist often win apparently undeservedly.

"I have never denied that lucky and unlucky card players exist. But proof, which can be based only upon long and accurate observation and analysis, generally is impossible; so many factors have to be taken into account. Bridge is not merely a game of cards but a game of psychology."

Luck and daring combined to bring a fine score to Mrs. George U. Harris and her partner, John Mattheys, on today's hand. Mrs. Harris was the only player in the tournament to have the temerity to go to no trump over the adversary's strong diamond bidding, and her bold lead-placing bid rendered West's eight card diamond suit powerless. She made an extra trick at her contract, whereas most North-South pairs played the hand at five clubs and were defeated.

In the play West led the queen of diamonds, which Mrs. Harris won with the king. A low club was led and the queen finessed. East won with the king but he had no diamond to return and he was compelled to lead a spade. Mrs. Harris took this with the ace, ran the remaining clubs, and cashed the two high hearts, and the remaining two spades. She made three no trump with an extra trick, winning four clubs, two hearts, three spades and a diamond.

We dread to think of declarer's predicament had West led some suit other than diamonds. South would then be obliged to drop the king of clubs in order to forestall the avalanche of diamonds that would be forthcoming if the club finesse were taken and East's singleton diamond led through.

The majority of North-South pairs played the hand at five clubs, either doubled or undoubled and most of them were defeated by a rather interesting defense.

Against five clubs played by North, East opened the singleton diamond. West won two tricks and led a third diamond, insuring East's king of clubs winning on an overruff.

One West player was hard put to determine his second lead as North discarded the eight of diamonds to the first trick. This play placed the deuce with East, and West was confronted with a choice of continuing a diamond, assuming that North was false-carding, or switching to the singleton heart in the hopes that East held the ace or king and a ruff could be obtained. Unluckily for West, he decided to believe declarer and returned a heart, which allowed the five club contract to be made, as declarer later picked up East's singleton king.

Today's Hand

Both Sides Vulnerable
SOUTH DEALER

Mattheys
♠ 10 8
♡ A K J 7
◇ 8 2
♣ A Q 9 7 6

♠ 7 5
♡ 5
◇ A Q J 10 9 6 5 3
♣ J 4

NORTH / WEST / EAST / SOUTH

♠ J 9 6 4 2
♡ Q 10 9 6 3 2
◇ 7
♣ K

Mrs. Harris
♠ A K Q 3
♡ 8 4
◇ K 4
♣ 10 8 5 3 2

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
Pass	Pass	1 ♣	Pass
1 ♠	3 ◇	3 ♡	Pass
3 NT.	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: Q ◇

Today's Radio Highlights

Secretary of Agriculture Wallace discusses functions of his department's new regional research laboratories on National Farm and Home Hour—WMAL, 12:30 p. m.

President Roosevelt speaks at dedication ceremonies of the site of the new Jefferson Memorial—WOL, WMAL, WJSV, 2:30 p. m.

Alan Kent and Tom Slater smash another group of popular beliefs on their "Don't You Believe It" show—WOL, 7:30 p. m.

John Boles is guest artist on Kate Smith's program—WJSV, 8 p. m.

George H. Davis, president of the United States Chamber of Commerce, and William Green, president of the A. F. of L., speaks before forty-sixth annual meeting of Chicago Economics Club—WMAL, 8:30 p. m.

Leslie Howard teams with Bob Burns and Bing Crosby on tonight's Music Hall show—WRC, 10 p. m.

Thursday, Dec. 15. — Washington — Eastern Standard Time.

	WMAL 476M—630KC	WRC 316M—950KC	WOL 229M—1,230KC	WJSV 206M—1,460KC	
6:00		Holl House	Art Brown		6:00
6:15		" "	" "		6:15
6:30	Today's Prelude	" "	News		6:30
6:45	" "	" "	Art Brown		6:45
7:00	" "	" "	" "	Arthur Godfrey	7:00
7:15	" "	" "	" "	" "	7:15
7:30	PDS Presents	" "	News	" "	7:30
7:45	" "	" "	Art Brown	" "	7:45
8:00	" "	News	" "	News	8:00
8:15	" "	Doll House	" "	Arthur Godfrey	8:15
8:30	Earl Godwin	" "	News	Magic Carpet	8:30
8:45	Calling All Stars	" "	Art Brown	Arthur Godfrey	8:45
9:00	Interlude	News, Happy Jack	" "	" "	9:00
9:15	Breakfast Club	Mary Mason	" "	" "	9:15
9:30	" "	" "	Waltz Themes	Women, News	9:30
9:45	Gospel Singer	" "	News; Police Fl.	Bach. Children	9:45
10:00	Story of Month	Mrs. Wiggs	Famous Farmers	Kitty Kelly	10:00
10:15	Keeping Fit	John's Other Wife	Human Uncle Sam	Myrt and Marge	10:15
10:30	Ranch Boys	Just Plain Bill	Traffic Court	Hilltop House	10:30
10:45	Garden Talk	Woman in White	Singing Strings	Stepmother	10:45
11:00	Mary Marlin	David Harum	Freshwater's Band	Mary L. Taylor	11:00
11:15	Vic and Sade	Lorenzo Jones	Musical Mystery	Rhyt'm, Romance	11:15
11:30	The Vagabonds	Widow Brown	Get Thin to Music	Big Sister	11:30
11:45	Popular Waltzes	Tropical Moods	Comm. Calandar	Aunt Jenny	11:45
	AFTERNOON PROGRAMS.				
12:00	Southernaires	News, Music	Our Quartet	Edith Kaye	12:00
12:15	News	The O'Neills	News	Vista Eales	12:15
12:30	National	Devotions	Happy Hollow	Helen Trent	12:30
12:45	Farm and	Topical Tunes	Bunch	Gal Sunday	12:45
1:00	Home Hour	Jean Ellington	Grub Hour	Goldbergs	1:00
1:15	Farm News	Escorts & Betty	Luncheon Music	Life, Beautiful	1:15
1:30	Peables	Encores	Tony Wakeman	Road of Life	1:30
1:45	Rakov's Orch.	Happy Gilmans	" "	Day Is Ours	1:45
2:00	Social Science	Betty and Bob	" "	Irene Beasley	2:00
2:15	" "	Grimm's Daughter	Marjorie Mills	Light's Orch.	2:15
2:30	President	Valiant Lady	Pres. Roosevelt	President	2:30
2:45	Roosevelt	Church Hymns	Tony Wakeman	Roosevelt	2:45
3:00	Opera Selections	Mary Marlin	News	U. S. Army	3:00
3:15	Rochester	Ma Perkins	Tony Wakeman	Band	3:15
3:30	Philharmonic	Pepper's Family	" "	Arch McDonald	3:30
3:45	Concert	Guiding Light	" "	" "	3:45
4:00	" "	Backstage Wife	" "	" "	4:00
4:15	Club Matinee	Stella Dallas	" "	" "	4:15
4:30	" "	Vic & Sade	" "	" "	4:30
4:45	News	Girl Alone	" "	" "	4:45
5:00	William's Orch.	Dick Tracy	Lawrence Salerno	" "	5:00
5:15	Tune Types	Your Family, Mine	Jimmy Scribner	" "	5:15
5:30	Don Winslow	Jack Armstrong	Cocktail Capers	Tonic Tunes	5:30
5:45	Tom Mix	Orphan Annie	" "	Four Notes	5:45
	EVENING PROGRAMS.				
6:00	Tarheel Tatler	News, Music	Sports Resume	News, Music	6:00
6:15	News	Music	Choir	Howie Wing	6:15
6:30	Incidentally	Lima Conference	Walter Compton	Bob Trout	6:30
6:45	Lowell Thomas	Rainbow Rhythm	Variety Program	Univ. Choir	6:45
7:00	Easy Aces	Amos 'n' Andy	Fulton Lewis, jr.	Arch McDonald	7:00
7:15	Mr. Keen	Vocal Varieties	Radio Harris	Gen. Johnson	7:15
7:30	Quiz of Two Cities	Dreams	Don't Believe It	Joe Penner	7:30
7:45	" "	Come True	F. Waller Records	" "	7:45
8:00	School of	Rudy Vallee	Green Hornet	Kate Smith	8:00
8:15	Music	" "	" "	" "	8:15
8:30	Chicago	" "	Hollywood Quiz	" "	8:30
8:45	Economics	" "	" "	" "	8:45
9:00	Club	Good News of	Variety Program	Maj.	9:00
9:15	Program	1939	News, Music	Bowes	9:15
9:30	America's	" "	Middletown of	Amateur	9:30
9:45	Town Meeting	" "	America	Hour	9:45
10:00	of the Air	Music Hall	Concert Revue	Columbia	10:00
10:15	" "	" "	" "	Workshop	10:15
10:30	People I	" "	Hamilton's	Americans	10:30
10:45	Have Known	" "	Orchestra	at Work	10:45
11:00	News	News, Sports	News—Music	News, Music	11:00
11:15	Music as You	Modern	Grier's Orch.	Safety Quiz	11:15
11:30	Desire It	Music	Hollywood	" "	11:30
11:45	" "	Maestros	Preview	Calloway's Or.	11:45
12:00	Night Watchman	Jan Savitt's	Benny Goodman's	Sammy Kaye's	12:00
12:15	(Until 2 a. m.)	Orchestra	Orchestra	Orchestra	12:15
12:30		E. Dentsch's	Jan Garber's	Paul Pendarvis'	12:30
12:45		Orchestra	Orchestra	Orchestra	12:45
1:00		Sign off	Harbeck's	Weather	1:00
1:15			Orchestra	Forecasts	1:15
1:30			Dance Music	Sign Off	1:30
1:45			" "		1:45
2:00	Sign off		" "		2:00

The Federal Diary

By Scott Hart

ANOTHER Civil Service Commission employe, Miss Irene Lubin, wins a nomination for the title of "Miss Civil Service," and her name is placed on the growing lists which the judges will plunge into immediately after January 1.

IRENE LUBIN

Remember, the nominations must close on January 1, to allow the judges sufficient time to make their selection. So send in your nominations now. Among those of yesterday was Miss Edna Scott Smith, principal clerk, Miscellaneous Division, Office f Indian Affairs.

Miss Smith, a native Washingtonian, has been in the Government service 38 years. She was soloist for 16 years at First Congregational Church; is Indian Office representative of the Interior Department Welfare Organization and during the World War she had charge of the Interior Department Music of the Home Club Chorus. She joined the Federation of Federal Employes Union when it was founded in February, 1917.

NOT-A-GAL!

The office of the United States Chaplains and the Postal Inspector in Cincinnati, Ohio, write in to say they can't nominate anyone for "Miss Civil Service" because no females are in their offices. Which simply goes to show the chronic knockers that the Government isn't altogether the pleasant place it's alleged to b !

THE DRIVE to get a $1,200 minimum pay for all Social Security Board employes has developed these interesting points:

It appears to be within the administrative discretion of the board to adopt such a minimum, as there are no civil service rules or other legal requirements which compel the board to employ at one base pay rate rather than at another. The language with refere e to descriptions of positions of custodial employes is elastic, and there is considerable overlapping. The cost of adopting the minimum wage is estimated at $12,000 a year, or two-tenths of 1 per cent of the departmental payroll.

There is a precedent for such a minimum. The Federal budget for the fiscal year 1938-1939 shows the following as employing at not less than $1,200:

Board of Tax Appeals, Employes' Compensation Commission, Reconstruction Finance Corporation, Veterans' Administration, Coast and Geodetic Survey, General Land Office, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Immigration and Naturalization Service, and the Navy and Postoffice Departments, with few exceptions. And since the Budget Report was issued, the National Labor Relations Board and the National Park Service have instituted a $1,200 minimum. The U. F. W. A. has brought these facts to the board.

NOTES: The Railroad Retirement Board Athletic Association sponsors a cabaret dance, 10 to 1, tomorrow evening at the Carlton Hotel. This group of employes is representative of the RRB employes in athletic and welfare work and was formed to promote the interests of board employes . . . To celebrate the close of the first semester of the United Federal Workers School, the student council will sponsor a dance for teachers, students and friends at the headquarters, 532 Seventeenth street northwest, on Saturday evening. Guests will include Pierre Dalbert Clark, Washington correspondent for the New York Times and chairman of the school faculty; Jacob Baker, U. F. W. A. president, and Dr. Edward Huberman, the school director.

AGRICULTURE Department researchers have found that husbands averaged paying more to their barbers than wives to beauty parlors when the family income was below $1,750 a year. The locale of the research was Washington and Oregon. And above this income level, wives usually paid more for beauty treatments than husbands paid for barber care. Also, when incomes were below $500, husbands spent twice as much as wives for haircuts and other personal services. Now take some time out and figure what this proves. As we get it, the paths of low income lead men but to the barber shop. But maybe that's superficial reasoning.

Bob Burns Says—

You'll never convince me that most men ain't just grown up babies, and I believe a lot of men work hard just so when they go home, their wives 'll sympathize with 'em and tell 'em they look tired.

Not long after I had been made mayor of Canoga Park out here I came home one evenin' and sank wearily in a chair and when my wife asked me why I looked so tired, I says, "I opened a children's playground at 10 o'clock, opened a ladies' auxiliary lunch room at noon and I opened a church bazaar this afternoon—in fact, I made so many openings I didn't have time to eat."

My wife says, "Oh, you poor man! You must be starved! Go out and open a can of tomatoes and we'll eat."

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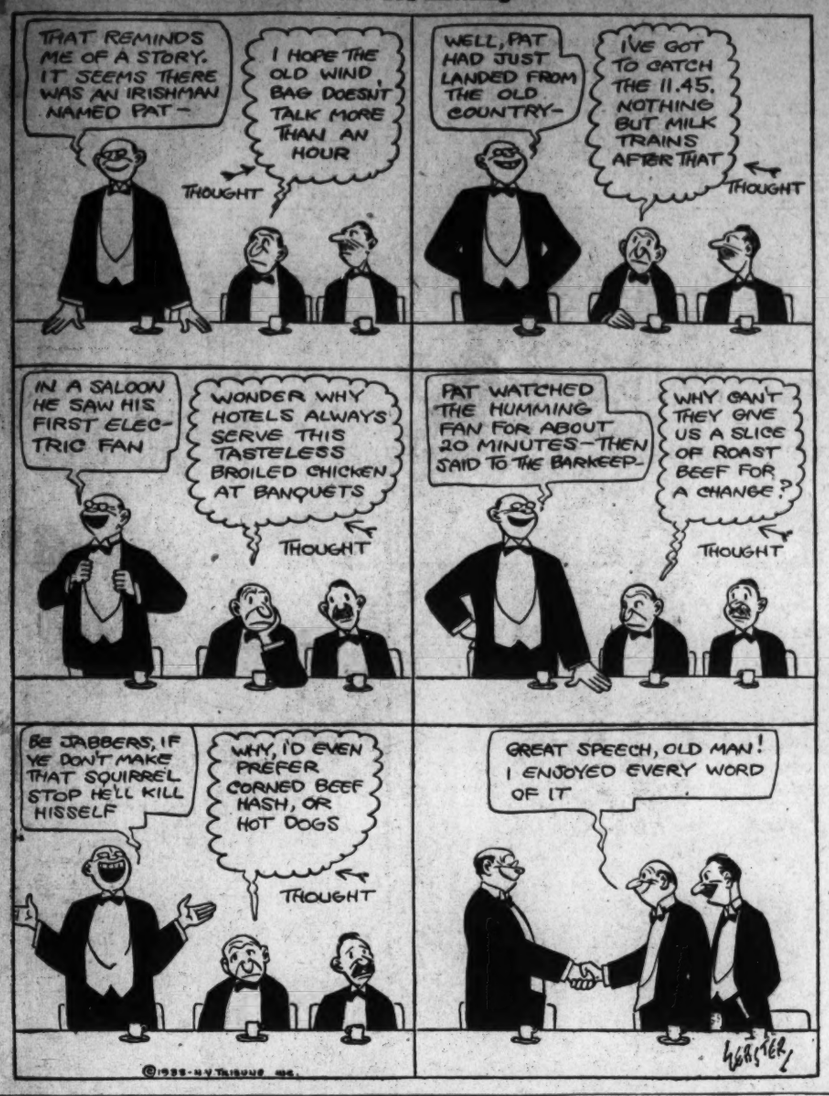
Are You Listening


THAT REMINDS ME OF A STORY. IT SEEMS THERE WAS AN IRISHMAN NAMED PAT—
I HOPE THE OLD WIND BAG DOESN'T TALK MORE THAN AN HOUR
THOUGHT
WELL, PAT HAD JUST LANDED FROM THE OLD COUNTRY—
I'VE GOT TO CATCH THE 11.45. NOTHING BUT MILK TRAINS AFTER THAT
THOUGHT
IN A SALOON HE SAW HIS FIRST ELECTRIC FAN
WONDER WHY HOTELS ALWAYS SERVE THIS TASTELESS BROILED CHICKEN AT BANQUETS
THOUGHT
PAT WATCHED THE HUMMING FAN FOR ABOUT 20 MINUTES—THEN SAID TO THE BARKEEP—
WHY CAN'T THEY GIVE US A SLICE OF ROAST BEEF FOR A CHANGE?
THOUGHT
BE JABBERS, IF YE DON'T MAKE THAT SQUIRREL STOP HE'LL KILL HISSELF
WHY, I'D EVEN PREFER CORNED BEEF HASH, OR HOT DOGS
THOUGHT
GREAT SPEECH, OLD MAN! I ENJOYED EVERY WORD OF IT
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TERRY AND THE PIRATES

Experiment in Web-Weaving

BY MILTON CANIFF

WHAT AN ABSURD STORY! I HAVE A PLANTATION IN FRENCH INDO-CHINA— BUT I NEVER HEARD OF DILLON KANE —AND I DON'T KNOW WHY HE SHOULD MENTION MY NAME IF HE WAS FOUND BEATEN ON MY PROPERTY! PROBABLY DRUNK! IT'S OF NO CONCERN TO ME!
THAT'S WHAT WE THOUGHT! —JUST CHECKING UP! SORRY TO HAVE BOTHERED YOU! GOOD NIGHT!
BUNGLING FOOLS! NEWSPAPERS! PUBLICITY! THE LAST THING IN THE WORLD I WANT!
THAT WAS A SWELL ACT, PAT... BUT WHY GIVE THIS BARON THE SONG AND DANCE ABOUT A NEWSPAPER STORY?
JUST ELIMINATING POSSIBILITIES! IF HE KNOWS NOTHING, HE'LL DO NOTHING! IF HE DOES KNOW SOMETHING... —COME ON—GET PACKED!

BIG CHIEF WAHOO

BY SAUNDERS AND WOGGON

WANT TO GET OUT AND STRETCH, MR. WAHOO?
NOPE! YOU GO 'HEAD, PATSY, WAHOO GOTTUM SHORT LEGS. STRETCHUM RIGHT HERE— NICE QUIET SPOT!
DANGER THIS CABIN BEING USED FOR TARGET PRACTICE TODAY
1000 YARDS AWAY AT THIS MOMENT!
READY, SIR, WE HAVE THE RANGE ON THE OLD HOUSE!
VERY GOOD! BEGIN FIRING, AND LET'S SCORE A DIRECT HIT WITH THE FIRST VOLLEY!
A HIT
BOOM
BOOM
BOOM
BOOM
TOMORROW'S STRIP TAKES PLACE ONE MINUTE BEFORE THE ABOVE ACTION—

MICKEY FINN

Congratulations!

BY LANK LEONARD

—AND REMEMBER THAT A POLICEWOMAN MUST BE DIGNIFIED AT ALL TIMES— REPORT FOR INSTRUCTIONS TOMORROW!
YESSIR!
FLOSSIE! WE JUST HEARD THE GOOD NEWS!!
YIPPEEE!
POLICE COMMISSION
?
IT'S OKAY, COMMISSIONER! —HE'S MY BOY FRIEND!

DIXIE DUGAN

Need You Most

J. P. McEVOY AND H. J. STRIBEL

WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH DENNY?
HE'S OUT IN THE SHED!
YOUNG MAN—WHY ARE YOU BACK IN THOSE OLD CLOTHES?? WHAT'S THE MEANING OF THIS???
SAYING FAREWELL TO CUDDLES, DOCTOR—AND I WAS JUST COMING IN TO SAY GOODBYE TO ALL OF YOU!
I'VE HAD MY CHANCE BUT MY SONGS WERE A FLOP!—THERE'S NO REASON FOR ME TO STAY HERE ANY LONGER!
BUT, DOCTOR, I CERTAINLY APPRECIATE ALL YOU'VE DONE FOR ME.
OH—YOU DO DO YOU?
WELL—YOU DON'T, OR YOU WOULDN'T BE RUNNING OUT ON ME JUST WHEN I NEED YOU MOST!!
HUH???

DONALD DUCK—

The First Law of Preservation

BY WALT DISNEY

DON WINSLOW OF THE NAVY

Listen to Don Winslow on the air today—WMAL—4:30 P. M.

BY FRANK MARTINEK

REGGIRT'S A LEADER IN CRIME PREVENTION, BOYS... HE'LL CERTAINLY CLEAR THE DECKS FOR OUR NEWS FLASH ON HIS PROGRAM....
IN THE RADIO STUDIO CONTROL ROOM
BARKER'S PUTTING IT UP TO HIM NOW..
AM I BLIND, WINSLOW? OR IS REGGIRT SAYING "NO"?

NED BRANT—A Story of College Athletics

BY BOB ZUPPKE

WE'VE GOT 'EM, NED—COLERAINE CAN WIN THE SKI JUMP AND STILL LOSE THE MEET TO CARTER!
ARE YOU WATCHING FOR THAT THIN ICE, BUD?
CARTER
WE HAVE TO TAKE A CHANCE IN ORDER TO GRAB THE LEAD
OKAY—HEAD HER BACK ON THE COURSE NOW
BUD—THE ICE IS CRACKING!
I CAN'T HOLD 'ER, NED!
DANGER
THE SPECTATORS ARE HORRIFIED AS THEY SEE THE STARBOARD RUNNER OF THE CARTER BOAT BREAK THROUGH THE ICE, PITCHING BRANT AND SHEKELS INTO THE ICY WATER—

APPLE MARY AND DENNIE

By Martha Orr

BOSS, THE KID IS MIGHTY SICK THIS MORNING, AN' CAN'T COME TO WORK.
I'LL HAVE TO HIRE SOMEBODY ELSE, THEN! THIS ISN'T A HOME FOR WEAKLINGS!
BUT MR. SNARL, CAN'T YOU WAIT TILL HE GETS WELL? HE'S A BETTER WORKER THAN ANY TWO MEN AROUND THIS SHEBANG.
—AND WHY ARE YOU SO INTERESTED IN HIM?
HE'S SUCH A DOGGONE GOOD WORKER, THAT'S ALL!
ALL RIGHT! ALL RIGHT! M-M-M-MAYBE I CAN USE HIM LATER.
"MEBBE HE CAN USE HIM, LATER." I DON'T LIKE THE WAY HE SAID THAT. THERE'S SOMETHING WRONG WITH THAT SHIFTY EYED LIZARD! I WONDER WHAT'S FERMENTIN' IN HIS MIND?

Daily Cross Word Puzzle

ACROSS.

1 Napoleon's isle
5 Desist
10 Hair separator
14 Just
15 Command
16 Greek coin
17 Row
18 Ariless
19 Extra
20 Shield
22 Dwelling
24 Pack
26 Meander
27 Rapturous
31 Traveled
35 Pate
36 Judean king
38 Range
39 Decompose and fuse
41 Drier
43 Flat board
44 Ria
46 Valleys
48 Lyric poem
49 Aromatic fruit
51 Orator
53 Those in favor of
55 Appear
56 Disaffect
60 Mixed
64 Indigent
65 Flower
67 Metal
68 Grafted: her.
69 Decree
70 Incursion
71 Deceased
72 Hirelings
73 Measures

DOWN.

1 Newts
2 Secular
3 Coffin holder
4 Hold
5 Designates
6 Age
7 Entrance
8 Disjoin
9 Before this time
10 Criticizes
11 Hautboy
12 Dawn
13 Fruit decay
21 Greenland exploration base
23 Nights before
25 Telegraphed
27 Urchin
28 Horn
29 Elevate
30 Skeleton of marine polyps
32 Grief
33 Escape
34 Discourage
37 Eradicates
40 Annealed
42 Prescriptions
45 Gull
47 Check
50 Beard
52 Referee
54 Stupefies
56 Copied
57 Sole
58 Greek letter
59 Ardor
61 Russian mountain range
62 Excite
63 Completes
66 Freeze

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER.

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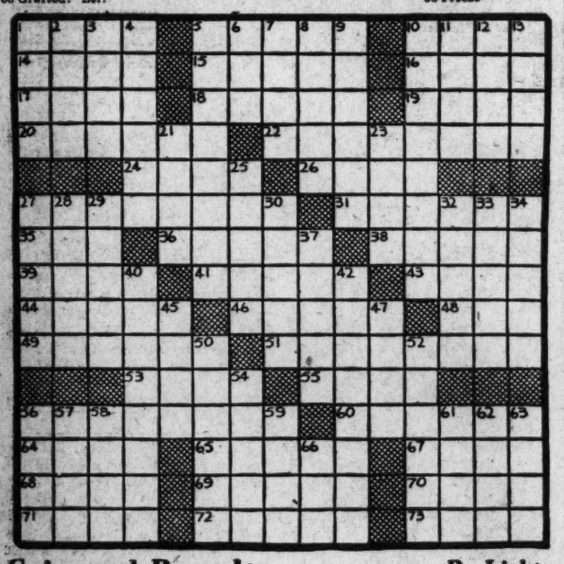

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Grin and Bear It

By Lichty

"Isn't it marvelous what they can make out of odds and ends!"

NEED EXTRA HELP FOR THE CHRISTMAS RUSH?

For the Christmas shopping rush, be sure that you have ample help to wait on your customers. A few lines in The Post Help Wanted column will bring you the desired persons. Simply call NAtional 4200.

Bedtime Story

Sue Follows Some Tracks

By Thornton W. Burgess.

A mystery usually is simply the natural result of lack of knowledge. The Green Meadows and the Green Forest are filled with mysteries to most of us. And it is just because we lack the knowledge to understand what we see or fail to see.

"It is the most mysterious thing I ever have seen," declared Sue. With Tommy and Sammy she had been following a little trail in the snow in the Green Forest. It was a pretty little trail of dainty footprints on either side of a tiny furrow. Tommy said that the trail was that of a White-footed or Deer Mouse and that the furrow was made by the tail dragging in the snow. Right in the middle of an open space that trail ended. The prints were a little blurred just there and the surface of the snow a little disturbed and that was all. There was no hole in the snow. There was nothing that Mouse could have jumped to or climbed. A careful search for some distance around failed to find the faintest trace of that Mouse.

"He must have sprouted wings and taken to the air like a bird," said Sammy.

Farmer Brown's boy chuckled. "He took to the air all right, Sammy, but with a bird, not like one," said he.

"You mean—" began Sue and hesitated.

"I mean," replied Tommy, "that an Owl, probably Spooky the Screech Owl, swooped down from behind him and picked him up before he suspected he was in danger. Of course the evidence is circumstantial but to me it is proof enough. That Mouse couldn't vanish of his own accord without leaving some trace. No animal caught him, for there are no other footprints near. So it must have been a bird, and as it happened in the night it must have been an Owl. Simple, isn't it?"

"It is when you put it that way," admitted Sammy.

"And just for a bit more proof for good measure I picked up this under that tree over there," said Tommy, holding out his hand. On it rested a somewhat oval-shaped ball of what looked like matted felt. It was about the size of a marble.

"What is it?" demanded Sammy.

"It is a pellet of fur and bones spit out by an Owl sitting up in that tree waiting for that Mouse to come along. It is the undigested part of a previous meal. Feathers and hair and bones cannot be digested, so they are rolled into balls in the bird's crop and then the Owl simply opens his mouth and spits them out. So this is absolute proof that an Owl was in the neighborhood, and the size of the pellet indicates a Screech Owl," concluded Tommy.

"The Sherlock Holmes of the Green Forest," said Sammy to his sister, but it was plain that Sammy was impressed.

The three separated to look for other trails and presently Sue found one. She opened her mouth to call to Tommy but closed it without a sound. "I'll follow this one a way myself and see what I can find," thought Sue.

The trail was an odd one. It was composed of groups of two straight short lines or furrows and two small round prints each. The groups were separated and Sue guessed at once that this was because the maker of the prints travelel by hops or short jumps.

"They are Rabbit tracks," decided Sue. "The long marks were made by his long hind feet, and the little round ones by his front feet. I wonder if I can find him all by myself. Let me see, these are the prints of his front feet so he must be going this way."

So that is the way she followed the tracks. They led this way and that and by and by she met Tommy. He was coming toward her along the trail.

"Oh Tommy," she cried," I've found a Rabbit's tracks and I'm following them. Do you suppose we can find him?"

Tommy grinned. "Not in the direction you are going," said he.

WPA Rolls Drop Sharply In 38 States

FSCC to Buy Surplus Oranges; Atlantic City Aged Plead for Relief

The Works Progress Administration disclosed yesterday that work relief enrollment dropped to 3,139,045 during the week ended December 10, which was 123,624 below the record peak of 3,262,669 on November 5.

Officials said all but ten States participated in the decline, which they described as one of the sharpest in recent WPA history.

The largest decrease was in Pennsylvania, where the rolls were 7,176 lower than in the preceding week. Washington State, with a drop of 5,801, and New Jersey, with 3,741, followed.

Meanwhile, the Federal Surplus Commodities corporation announced it would buy surplus oranges and give them to State relief agencies.

The orange program, similar to a grapefruit purchase program already announced, was requested by a conference of citrus growers here recently. The amount of the purchases contemplated was not announced.

100 Aged Beg for Relief

Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 14 (AP).—More than 100 aged persons recently laid off by the WPA interrupted today's meeting of the Atlantic County Board of Freeholders with pleas for relief, but were told the county could do nothing.

Freeholder Howard Reed urged them to "march on the local warehouse of the Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation and take food stored there."

Freeholder Samuel Groper said he was told by Thomas Fox, head of the warehouse, there was "plenty of food available for all if only the local relief authorities would ask for it."

Reichelderfer New Weather Bureau Chief for U. S.

Lieut. Comdr. Francis W. Reichelderfer, the Navy's outstanding expert on the weather, yesterday was approved by President Roosevelt for the post of chief of the Weather Bureau.

Reichelderfer

Succeeding Dr. Willis R. Gregg, who died in Chicago several months ago, Commander Reichelderfer will take office January 1. Orders already have been issued which transferred him from the U. S. S. Utah to the Department of Agriculture.

A pioneer in the development of the weather service essential to aviation, he has served as meteorologist at the Naval Air Station at Lakehurst, N. J., and in 1936 was the Navy meteorological officer on a trip of the dirigible Hindenburg.

Stuart Junior High Presents Play Today

Students of the Stuart Junior High School will present the play, "Little Old New York," in the school auditorium, Fourth and E streets northeast, today and tomorrow at 8 p. m.

The leading feminine roles are to be played by Vivian Stewart, Peggy Ballard, Jeanne Schwab and Hilda Glover; male roles by Pete del Grosso, Charles Bostian, David Silas, Jack Lysscomb, Andrew Kirk, Melvin Tolstoi, Robert Kramer and Phil Gentilcore.

Anti-Third-Term Group Incorporates in Boston

Boston, Dec. 14 (AP).—Papers for incorporation of the Anti-Third Term League, Inc., were filed with the State secretary today by Joel L. Miller, a lawyer, who said the league's objective was to set up "a safeguard against dictatorships."

Miller, former state commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, said the league was not aimed at "any particular candidate."

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Bund Head Faces Deportation

Los Angeles, Dec. 14 (U.P.).—Herman Schwinn, West Coast leader of the German-American Bund and an associate of the New York Nazi leader, Fritz Kuhn, has been threatened with deportation proceedings, Federal authorities disclosed tonight.

United States Attorney Benjamin Harrison revealed steps have been taken to institute proceedings citing Schwinn to show cause why his American citizenship should not be revoked.

The action would be based on allegations that certain discrepancies existed in the application the bund leader made out for citizenship papers three years ago.

Rites for Lieut. Duke, Crash Victim, Today

Funeral services for Lieut. John M. Duke, United States Navy, who was killed in an airplane accident near Point Loma, Calif., will be held at 10 a. m. today in Arlington Cemetery with Chaplain R. D. Workman officiating. Honorary pallbearers will be Lieuts. W. F. Kline, L. M. LeHardy, R. S. Purvis, J. M. Lane, P. D. Stroop and C. A. Lineweaver.

Federal Unions Back President

Federal employe organizations yesterday pledged their support to President Roosevelt in his efforts to extend the merit system in the Federal Government.

Calling at the White House, Luther Steward, president, National Federation of Federal Employes, reminded the President that 1939 has been designated as "Civil Service Year," that a year-long drive on behalf of merit system extension will be undertaken.

Those who joined Steward in the conference were Miss Gertrude McNally, secretary-treasurer, N. F. F. E.; John J. Barrett, president, United National Association of Postoffice Clerks; M. F. Fitzpatrick, president, National Association of Postal Supervisors.

Mule Driver Jailed

Harry Smith, colored, 42, thought nothing of it Tuesday when he drove his pair of mules and wagon along the sidewalk in the 400 block E street southwest, two doors from a police station.

Yesterday he thought about it considerably when Police Court Judge Edward M. Curran imposed a fine of $100 or 30 days in jail. He went to jail.

School to Get Flag

Urell Auxiliary of United Spanish War Veterans will present an American flag to the Truesdell School, Ninth and Ingraham streets northwest, at 2 p. m. tomorrow. Mrs. Lenora Rosetta, chairman of the Americanization committee of the auxiliary, will make the presentation.

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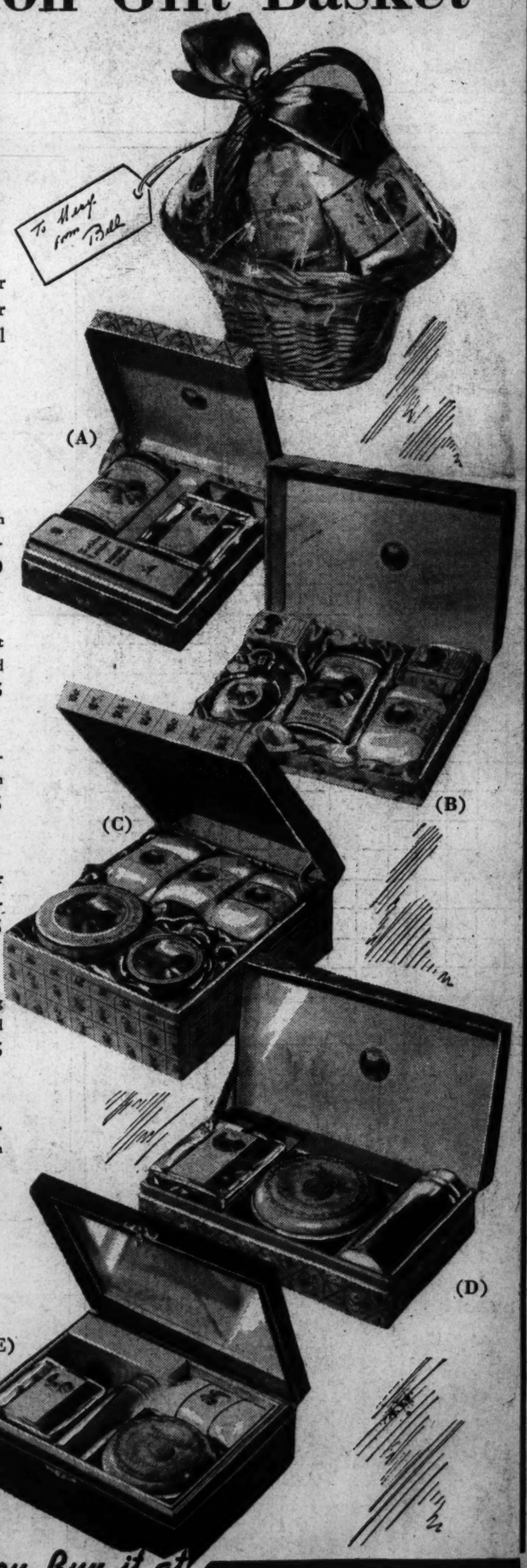

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(C)
Beautiful gift box of soap, bath powder, cologne and sachet bags in Wembdon English lavender. . **3.65**

(D)
Wembdon's English lavender set for men. Talcum, shaving bowl, after-shave lotion in gift box. **2.35**

(E)
The Humidor gift set containing shaving bowl, lotion, talcum and soap. A handsome gift! **4.85**

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